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BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO.

One of the Sharpest Two Hours' Engagements of the War.

MAJOR JOHN A. LOGAN KILLED.

Son of the Gallant General Killed While Leading His Battalion—The Town Taken After a Heavy Slaughter of Filipinos—Aguinaldo Has Escaped

Manila, Nov. 15.—The Thirty-third infantry, in one of the sharpest two hour engagements of the war, with an equal force of insurgents, five miles from San Fabian, Saturday, lost one officer and six men killed and one officer and twelve men wounded. The Americans captured 29 Filipinos and 100 rifles and found 81 insurgent dead lying in the trenches and rice fields. Many more Filipinos, doubtless, were killed or wounded.

General Wheaton was informed that the enemy was gathering at San Jacinto for the purpose of preventing the Americans from controlling the road from Dagupan north, whereby Aguinaldo might retreat. The Thirty-third, Colonel Howe commanding, and a detachment of the Thirteenth, with a Gatling gun, Howland commanding were sent to disperse them. The troops encountered the worst road ever found in the Island of Luzon.

JOHN A. LOGAN, JR.

The insurgents opened the fight two miles from San Jacinto, while the leading American battalion was passing a clump of houses, in the midst of a cocoanut grove, knee deep in mud.

The Filipino sharpshooters, hidden in trees, houses and a small trench across the road, held their fire until the Americans were close to them. When they began firing other Filipinos opened fire from thickets, right and left, further away. The insurgent sharpshooters picked off the officers first. Five of the Americans who fell wore shoulder straps or chevrons. But the Thirty-third never wavered. Its crack marksmen knocked the Filipinos from the trees like squirrels and the Americans rushed the trench, leaving four dead insurgents there. The regiment then deployed under fire, with Major John A. Logan's battalion in the center, Major Crony's on the right and Major Marsh's on the left.

The skirmish line, which was a mile long, advanced rapidly, keeping up a constant fire. The Filipinos made an unexpectedly good stand, many of them remaining under cover until the Americans were within 20 feet of them. Major Logan and six men were killed while Major Logan was gallantly leading his battalion. Major Marsh flanked a small trench full of insurgents, surprising them and slaughtering nearly all of them before entering the town. The Gatling killed five of the force holding the bridge and swept the country beyond the town, driving about 130 Filipinos into the hills. Marsh's battalion entered the town first.

The insurgents are supposed to have retreated toward Dagupan. It was impossible to pursue them, as the American troops were exhausted and their supply of ammunition was low. The outposts killed five Filipinos during the night. The body of the Filipino lieutenant colonel commanding was found among the killed.

The regiment returned to San Fabian Sunday, it being impossible to get supplies over the roads.

A proclamation of the Filipino secretary of war was found in all the villages, giving glowing accounts of alleged Filipino victories and saying that 7,500 Americans had been killed and 15,000 wounded during the war.

The dead and wounded were brought to Manila yesterday. The officers returning say it is impossible for General Wheaton to attempt a junction with General Young, on account of the roads. Prisoners say it is reported that Aguinaldo, with an army they estimated at 20,000 (probably a great exaggeration), is retiring toward Dagupan, intending to leave by railroad for the northwest. Some of them said they believed the Filipino army had passed the line intended by Generals Wheaton and Young to be covered on Aguinaldo's rear, and that he passed San Fabian, going northeast, a fortnight ago.

THE PRESIDENT'S TRIBUTE.

Chief Magistrate's Sympathy to Major Logan's Widow.

Youngstown, O., Nov. 15.—Mrs. Logan, widow of the major killed in the Philippines, has received the following telegram from President McKinley: "It is my painful duty to convey to you the sad intelligence of the death of your husband while gallantly leading his battalion in the charge at San Jacinto. His splendid qualities as a soldier and high courage on the fighting line have given him place among the heroic men of the war, and it will be some consolation to you to know that he died for his country on the field of honor. You have in this trying hour for yourself and the children the sincere sympathy of Mrs. McKinley and myself."

Major John A. Logan, Jr., was born in July, 1865, at Murphysborough, Ills. He received an appointment to West Point academy and attended for two years, but never graduated. Mr. Logan then embarked in the real estate business in Washington, but after his marriage to Miss Edith Andrews, daughter of the late C. P. Andrews, March 22, 1887, he has since resided here. In May of last year he received from President McKinley the appointment of assistant adjutant general, with the rank of first lieutenant, on the staff of General John C. Bates. He went to Cuba and took part in the battle of El Caney. He was promoted to major for gallantry in battle and at the conclusion of the Cuban war was with General Bates, who was governor of Santa Clara province. Aug. 19 last he was apointed major of the Thirty-third United States volunteers. He leaves a widow and three children here.

YALE SMOTHERS STATE.

The Boys from Centre County Defeated by a Score of 42 to 0.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 11.—Yale ran all over the eleven of the Pennsylvania State College in the game at Yale field to-day and scored seven touchdowns against her, five of which were made in the first half. The total score was: Yale, 42, State, 0. Yale's game on the offensive was surprisingly strong, and State was unable to hold but three times, one of these, however, being on her four-yard line, which undoubtedly saved another six points higher score.

One of the most pleasing things in the game to Yale men was the superb way in which their team killed the guards back play. Never has the attempted working of this famous play been attended with such disastrous results as in to-day's game, when with but few exceptions, it was thrown back for losses of 3 to 10 yards. State, on the guards back and four end runs, lost in the neighborhood of fifty yards, or within ten yards of their entire ground gaining.

Stillman put up a fierce game and made a number of fine tackles in the open field. When he was called upon he was able to make a good game and opened up holes as big as a house in his opponent. Dupee, who was played at halfback in the first half, and Richards, were the men who gained the most ground for Yale. Dupee's kicking, when he was used, was excellent. McBride has not kicked so well in any previous game. As a rule, his punts were long and nigh, and every exchange netted him big gains. Fincke's tackling in the open field was a great disappointment. One of his missed tackles looked as though it had cost a touchdown, but the runner, which he failed to get, was brought back because State was offside.

A few minutes after the second half opened State rallied and carried the ball for thirty yards or so, chiefly by runs around Schweppe's end. Schweppe was plainly not fit, and when Snitzer took his place the gains stoped. Then in the last ten minutes Yale tore the line for ten or fifteen yards at a time and scored twice.

One of the most sensational runs of the day was McBride's dash of fifty yards from the kick-off after Yale's seventh touchdown. The coaches were generally pleased with the game, although Yale's several slumps in the offense in the first half was sharply criticised. A crowd of over four hundred students marched to the field, headed by the Yale brass band.

Penna. State.	Positions.	Yale.
Ruble	left end.	Winter. Hubbell
Randolph	left sackle.	Francis
Taylor	left guard.	Brown
Cummings	center	Cunha
School	right guard.	Olcott
F. Miller	right tackle.	Stillm'n. Allen
Wood.	right end.	Gould, Schweppe, Snitzer
Johnson	quarter b'k.	Fincke, Wear
Burns	left half b'k.	Dupee, Chadwice
Smith	right half b'k.	Richards, Keane
Cure	full back	McBride

Touchdowns, Gould, Dupee 2, Richards, Stillman, Chadwick 2 Goals from t'chdn's Brown 7. Umpire, Delaud. Referee, White. Halves, twenty-five minutes. Linesmen, Blagden, of Yale, and Brown, of Penn'a State.

Other foot-ball scores Saturday were: Pennsylvania 11, Michigan 10. Princeton 12, Indians 0. Harvard 11, Dartmouth 0. Lafayette 6, Cornell 4. Columbia 16, West Point 0.

THE Samoan Islands become practically German, although the United States retains its coaling station and the island upon which it is located. Great Britain relinquishes her claims to any of the islands in favor of Germany, receiving certain of the Solomon group by way of compensation. Perhaps this partition is the best thing to be done under the circumstances, but the fact remains that it is precisely what Germany has been trying to accomplish during the years of civil strife among the Samoans. It is a triumph for German diplomacy, but it was only won after the world had been informed that Germany and Great Britain are very close friends and that the latter is to have her way in South Africa. Of course our coaling station is valuable, and especially now, since we have begun the building of an empire in the east.

A SWINDLING QUINTET

Rounded Up After Being Watched For Several Months.

A COLLEGIAN LEADS THE GANG.

He Led His Class in Columbia Law School, and Inherited Half a Million From His Father After Leaving College—He Is Wanted in Chicago.

New York, Nov. 15.—There is at police headquarters here a quartet of prisoners in whom the police of almost every large American city and many of the leading business houses, banks and trust companies have a deep interest. They were rounded up after being watched for several months, and were formally held by a police magistrate yesterday on the nominal charge of being suspicious persons.

The police of New York say that most of them have been convicted here and elsewhere of swindling that has netted them many thousands of dollars. The prisoners are:

Alonzo J. Whiteman, 39 years old, of Danville, N. Y., the alleged head of the gang, a graduate of the Columbia Law school; Frank Edmunds, 40 years old, clerk, of New York; John Thompson, alias William Hartley, alias P. Lawton, alias Dr. George W. Johnson, 31 years old, clerk, residence unknown; Robert J. Knox, 42 years old, lawyer, New York.

There is under arrest at Pittsburg a fifth member of the gang, Charles D. Stewart, alias Charles Ward, about 60 or 70 years old. He was arrested there Monday.

According to the statement given out by Captain McCluskey, chief of detectives, Hartley, under the name of Dr. George W. Johnson, entered into negotiations with the real estate firm of John F. James & Son, in Brooklyn, for the purchase of a $10,000 house. "Dr. Johnson" said he would pay $5,000 down and would carry the remaining $5,000 on a first mortgage. In negotiating with the Central Trust company, of Brooklyn, regarding the interest on the mortgage "Dr. Johnson" managed to secure $350 on a fraudulent check from the company, he having deposited a draft for $3,000 drawn on the Hoboken Loan and Savings institution. This was one of the many similar cases, Captain McCluskey says, that Hartley will have to answer for.

Several months ago a man claiming to be W. L. Howe, cashier of the National bank, of Lawrence, N. Y., ordered 10,000 drafts of a certain design from a firm of lithographers in this city, and paid for them in cash. They were sent to him in "care of Mrs. Whiteman, Dansville, N. Y." A few days later a North river ferryboat deckhand found one of the books of drafts in the river, and the book was sent to a detective bureau. Soon reports of bogus drafts began to pour in from all over the country. They were all made on these forms, and drawn on the National bank, of Lawrence, N. Y. Investigation by the police traced them back to Whiteman, who lived with his mother in Dansville, N. Y. There, it is alleged, he formulated the plans, and his tools all over the country carried them out.

Another swindling game netted the gang $3,000 from a Woonsocket (R. I.) bank on a worthless check. Then an effort was made to "work" a Pittsburg bank, but the police had traced the gang, and arrangements were perfected to capture them all, but the plans miscarried, and Stewart alone, who is gray and venerable in appearance, was captured. Word was sent to this city, and the other three were caught soon after arriving here.

The Chicago police have sent word that an officer will be sent after Whiteman, who was sentenced in that city to a year's imprisonment and $2,000 fine for obtaining money under false pretenses. Pending an appeal he was released, and when his sentence was affirmed by the appellate court he had disappeared.

Whiteman has been arrested a score of times, but has managed to get off. He has traveled the world over. He inherited $500,000 from his father in 1888 after leaving college. He led his class in the Columbia Law school.

Edmunds and Stewart have both served sentences, and Thompson is an all around swindler.

No Jury in the Molineux Case.

New York, Nov. 15.—Roland B. Molineaux was put on trial for his life yesterday in the court of special sessions before Recorder Goff, charged with the death by poison of Mrs. Katherine J. Adams on Dec. 28, 1898. When the case was called Molineaux's counsel, Bartow S. Weeks, made an effort to have it transferred to the supreme court, but Recorder Goff ordered the trial to proceed. Several hours were spent in endeavoring to secure a jury, but the court adjourned without having selected a single member.

A Cigarmakers' Trust.

New York, Nov. 15.—The Tribune says: A syndicate of cigar manufacturers has been formed, with a capital of $7,000,000 common stock and $3,900,000 preferred stock. The men interested in the new combine met yesterday to elect officers and to talk over the final details of the plan. It is understood that Isidor Hernsheims, of New Orleans, was elected president of the syndicate. The purpose of the combination is to reduce competition and incidentally the expense of doing business.

SUDDEN DEATH.

Of a Well Known Editor and Historian

John F. Meginness, the veteran journalist and historian of the West Branch Valley, died suddenly at his home at Williamsport Saturday evening. On October 25, Mr. and Mrs. Meginness had celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. He had returned to Williamsport Saturday evening from Sunbury and hurried from the station to his home. Being short of breath, he sat down a moment and then with great pride opened his Golden Wedding book, which he had received bound that day and which contained all the newspaper accounts of his wedding anniversary. As he was explaining to his wife the title page, he fell back dead. A physician was summoned, who stated that death was due to a collapse of the heart, which had resulted from his hurried walking.

Mr. Meginness was 72 years old. His life was spent in teaching school editing papers and writing histories. For many years he edited the Jersey Shore Republican and the Gazette and Bulletin, Williamsport. He also wrote "The History of the West Branch Valley," published the monthly magazine entitled "The Historical Journal," and wrote many articles over the signature "John of Lancaster."

The funeral took place Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock in Williamsport.

Lutheran Conference.

The annual sessions of the Northern conference of the Lutheran church began in St. Paul's church, at Salona, Monday evening, with the preaching of the communion sermon by Rev. W. Rearick. Tuesday morning conference was opened with prayer, by C. D. Russell, after which there was one hour of business, consisting mostly of appointing committees, hearing reports of the various ministers and reports from the benevolent committee chairman. Following the business session Rev. J. A. Earnest, D. D., delivered a brief address on "Abuses."

The business session Tuesday afternoon was the hearing and passing on the work done throughout the conference the past year, and a marked condition of advancement over the previous year was noted. At the conclusion of the business session Rev. W. K. Diehl spoke on "Reverence for the Sanctuary;" Rev. W. H. Selem on "Our Talents—Their Use, Their Abuse." The sermon Tuesday evening was by Rev. W. H. Schoch, on the theme, "Christ's Second Coming."

The officers of the conference are: President, Rev. W. M. Spangler; secretary, Rev. W. M Rearick; treasurer. J. M. Rearick.

Accidental Death.

A correspondent at Woodland sends the Philipsburg Journal the following account of the accident at the brick works on Friday which caused the death of Roy Hummel on Saturday evening:

Hummel had been weighing and dumping clay by means of a block and tackle arrangement connected to a windlass. The crank arm of the windlass is about 18 inches long. Hummel, by means of the windlass, had pulled a car of clay to a proper angle to dump, and fastened the crank down with a pin run through the post of the windlass frame. He had just turned away when the crank slipped, the pin having been insecurely fastened. The crank came around with terrible force, striking the unfortunate man on the head. His skull was crushed, the bone being broken into fragments.

Hummel was aged about 24 years. He was married and leaves two small children.

Too Many Eloping Couples.

It is stated that within a year over 200 eloping couples from Pennsylvania have been married in Binghamton, N. Y. several cases of bigamy having developed, the Ministerial association of Binghamton has decided to refuse to marry any more Pennsylvanians unless such proof is furnished as would be required for a license in their own state.

The Prince of Wales has just celebrated his 58th birthday. Albert Edward is no youngster, but notwithstanding his age, he has not yet had an opportunity to preside at the head of the English nation. He has passed the prime of life and has had a great deal of experience, but the throne, to which he is the heir, is still beyond his reach. His mother, Victoria, yet maintains her hold on life, and there is no immediate prospect of her shuffling off the mortal coil. Albert Edward must content himself as best he may in his role of heirship. He has held that position for fifty eight years and there is no telling how long he may continue to hold it.

—The first snow of the season fell Tuesday.

CHARLESTON WRECK.

No Hope of Saving the Cruiser or Her Valuable Contents.

LANDED READY FOR A FIGHT.

But Instead of Finding Hostiles They Found a Half Savage People Who Regarded Them With Curiosity—Many Escaped in Under Clothing.

Manila, Nav. 15.—Further details regarding the grounding of the United States cruiser Charleston show that she struck an uncharted coral reef ten miles east of Kamiguin Island. Her stern was almost submerged and the bow almost out of water. A heavy sea was on, and the cruiser began rolling violently. The water tight doors were quickly closed, but were stove in under the engine compartment, the largest of the ship.

After the first efforts to right her the officers feared she might slide off because of the heavy sea, and therefore abandoned the attempt to save her. They hurried to the launch and boats and rowed away, prepared to fight for a landing, with two Colt guns, 134 rifles and ten days' rations. Some of the officers and men were dressed only in pajamas and their under clothing. Two hours after the Charleston struck all had gotten away. A party returned two days later, but found it impossible to save anything.

The first landing was made on a little island, with a front of barren rocks. Next day the boats again took to the water and proceeded to Kamiguin Island, where a landing was made in the expectation that fighting would be necessary. So far from this being the case, however, the Charleston's men found a half savage people, who regarded them with curiosity rather than hostility.

On the third day the storm had greatly subsided and Lieutenant John D. McDonald, with Boatswain Dominick Glynn and six men, started for the Gulf of Lingayen in a 30 foot sailing launch, hoping to find an American warship, but entirely ignorant of General Wheaton's expedition.

Lieutenant McDonald was four days afloat, keeping under shelter of the hostile shore for two days on account of the high seas, being most of the time in a soaking rain. Finally, flying the Union Jack down, clad in their under clothing and drenched to the skin, the officer and his companions overtook the transport Aztec, which carried them to the battleship Oregon.

The gunboat Helena was due to arrive at Kamaguin Island Monday. The Charleston was returning from a five weeks' cruise along the eastern coast of Luzon, and Admiral Watson was beginning to be uneasy. He supposed, however, that she had joined General Wheaton's expedition.

In naval circles the accident is considered quite unavoidable. The only wonder is that there are not more such disasters in Philippine waters, which are most indifferently charted.

The Charleston lies practically in the open sea, and there is no hope of saving her or the valuable paraphernalia and contents of the cruiser.

Murdered His Brother-in-Law.

Chicago, Nov. 15.—Because of trouble with the family of his brother-in-law, Frank Anderson, Eugene Hopp, a laborer, tried last night to exterminate the entire Anderson household. He walked into Anderson's house and shot Anderson in the abdomen, inflicting a wound from which he died in a short time. He then turned on his sister, Mrs. Anderson, and fired at her just as she reached the top of a flight of stairs. Mrs. Anderson was not hit, but in her fright fell down stairs. Hopp then killed Anderson's dog, which attacked him, went home and barricaded himself in the house. The police were compelled to batter down the door, and made him prisoner only after a desperate fight.

Soldiers' Mortality Statistics.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Surgeon General Sternberg's annual report says the total number of deaths in our armies, including regulars and volunteers, from May 1, 1898, to June 30, 1899, was 6,519, of whom 498 were killed in battle, 216 killed by accident, 202 died of gunshot wounds and wounds received in action, 2,774 from typhoid fever, 475 from malarial fever, 359 from pneumonia, 342 from diarrhoea and dysentery and 185 from yellow fever.

Rockefeller's Conditional Gift.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 15.—On the authority of Rev. Dr. A. H. Strong, president of the Rochester Baptist Theological seminary, it is announced that John D. Rockefeller, president of the Standard Oil company, has just made a conditional pledge of $150,000 to the support of the seminary. Mr. Rockefeller will give $1 for every dollar that may be raised in other directions, till an aggregate of $300,000 shall have been secured.

Our Imports and Exports.

Washington, Nov. 15.—The statement of the imports and exports of the United States for the month of October last shows that the amount of merchandise imported during the month was $72,705,894, of which $29,692,014 was free of duty. The exports of domestic merchandise during the same month amounted to $125,232,972. During the last ten months the exports of merchandise exceeded the imports by $370,867,157.

IN THE PHILIPPINES.

Extracts From an Interesting Letter Written Home by Edward Schofield.

Edward Schofield, a son of Hon. James Schofield, of this place, who is now a member of Co. L, 16th Reg., U. S. A., writes very interesting letters home to his parents. Ed was a very popular young man in Bellefonte and has a host of friends who are anxious to hear from him, and so at our urgent request Mr. Schofiled allows us to publish a few extracts from two of his latest letters. His first letter was dated Calumpit, Oct. 1st, and reads in part as follows:

. . . Papers received and as you know, was glad to hear from home. I received your writing paper and envelopes and am very grateful for them as we are stationed thirty miles from where we can get such articles. I intend to have my picture taken just as soon as I can get near any place where they can take them. I have been on the firing line ever since we landed here. I am enjoying good health and getting fat, but I am tired of army life and would rather be at home. They are having a big fight a few miles below us, and we expect to be called out any minute to help them. I am glad that Bellefonte is booming. I think we will get back to the States before long, as the 3rd battalion of Regulars is going back, and I am in it.

Under date of Calumpit, Oct. 14, he writes:

I had a narrow escape on the night of the 12th. I was on support with nineteen other comrades down at the Bag Bag river, where Col. Funston had the heavy fight and had to swim the river. It is two and a-half miles from where we camped. We were guarding the big iron bridge when about 15 minutes of 7 in the evening we were all sitting around on the grass laughing, talking, smoking and never thinking about the enemy when all at once a volley was fired from across the river from the ambush. We had our belts and guns in a bambo shack across the road, that we used to sleep in, and had to run the thickest shower of bullets you ever saw to get them. When we got our guns and got back to the trenches we did not do a thing to the Filipinos but make them fly for their lives. As you know, they will not come out in the open and fight you. We killed many of them, and they floated down the river. Those big Remingtons do not sound very nice whistling so close to your head. We expect an attack any time on our camp, but you can bet your life we will make them fi with our Kraigs.

SUNDAY TRAIN SERVICE.

Has It Helped Or Injured Bellefonte So Far As the People are Able to Judge.

Since Bellefonte has had Sunday passenger train service now for several months something which it never had before, the question may be asked whether it has been or is a benefit or an injury to the place.

Naturally there are still some people here who insist that the movement is a detriment to the town, some argue that it is a benefit while others are of the opinion that it neither injures nor helps. So far as the traveling public is concerned, the local hotel proprietors are perhaps the best judges to determine as to whether or not Sunday trains are a benefit or injury to Bellefonte. As it was before, traveling men who came here Saturday night were compelled to remain here until Monday, thus leaving the amount of an over Sunday hotel bill here, while now that condition doesn't prevail.

Some of the hotel men were interviewed on the question by a NEWS reporter. Mr. Harry Fenlon, the efficient chief clerk at the Bush House said:—It has helped our business. As a rule traveling men don't care to travel on Sunday unless they are compelled to do so and many of them like to spend Sunday in Bellefonte. The only drawback heretofore was the want of a Sunday mail service, which is now very thoroughly supplied. Traveling men who in the past avoided spending Sunday here on account of not being able to get their mail, now make it a point to reach here Saturday and remain over Sunday, during which time they attend to much of their correspondence. Many of those who finish their work here Saturdays and used to leave on the train that night, to a point where their mail awaited them, now remain over Sunday in preference to leaving earlier. Taken as a whole I believe the Sunday train service has helped Bellefonte, and I am sure it has increased the Bush House Sunday patronage.

Satisfied With His Lot.

Guy Bennison, son of Capt. S. H. Bennison, of Jacksonville, Penn'a., is now a member of Co. H, 10th Infantry, U. S. Army, which is at present located at Mantanzas, Cuba. Guy reports to his parents that he is quite well satisfied with his army life and of course expects to do his full share towards the protection of the stars and stripes.

Additional Locals.

—After all there are but two classes of unfortunates in the country; those who are married and those who are not.

The Bellefonte Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution were entertained by Mrs. W. Fred Reynolds Friday evening.

—The annual Thanksgiving ball by the society folks of State College will this year be held on Friday evening, December 1. The Chappell orchestra of twelve pieces has been engaged to furnish the music for the dancing and reception.

—Michael Howard, an employee at the Valentine furnace, had his right hand badly smashed while coupling cars in the furnace yard Thursday afternoon, The doctor found it necessary to amputate the index finger on the right hand.

—"Jack, the Hugger," has again made his appearance in Altoona He grabbed a woman last evening on Seventh street and gave her a vigorous embrace. The woman broke away from him and ran up the street, but was too badly frightened to give a description of the villain.

—Recently D. A. McDowell, of Abdera, purchased a box of Berlin Hospital tablets at Howard, took them home and in some way his little daughter Edna, thinking they were candy, managed to get them and swallowed 21 before her parents noticed her. Fortunately they did her little harm.

—Thursday evening a driving party drove up to the Burnside lodge on Muncy mountain for supper and a view of the mountain's in their gorgeous fall colors. In the party were Misses Helen Fuller, and Helen Mason, of Pittsburg, Mary and Winifred Meek and E. T. Burnside, Wm. Wilkins and Hard P. Harris of Bellefonte and Dr. Geo. Wickes, of New York.

What does it profit a woman if she gain the whole world and lose her own health? Young women students and school teachers, eager, ambitious, and full of energy, very often neglect their health in the struggle to gain education. They eat insufficient food, and at irregular hours, they allow irregularity of the womanly functions to be established, and the result is that they become chronic invalids with all their education practicalfy useless. There is a plain road back to health for such as these, marked by the feet of thousands. It is the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Madical Discovery for diseases of the stomach and digestive and nutritive organs, and Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for diseases of the delicate organs of womanhood. A cure so certainly follows the use of these remedies that out of hundreds of thousands who have tried the treatment, ninety-eight in every hundred have been perfectly and permanently cured. Constipation, with its calamitous consequenses, which is a common ailment of students, can be entirely cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

Dynamiting Traction Engines.

Another traction engine has been blown up with dynamite in Juniata county. This one belonged to James Goodling, of Manroe township, and was at the barn on the Miller farm near Orient, when it was wrecked by the explosion. About two weeks ago another engine was blown up by dynamite in the same county;

Bismarck's Iron Nerve.

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c at F. Potts Green's Drug store.

Loss of 22 Sheep by Dogs.

Will Allison, of Spring Mills lost twenty two sheep within two weeks recently, by the act of dogs at night. One night 10 sheep were killed, another night 9, and a third night 3. This is a little rough on Mr. Allison as well as on the sheep, and he has not been able to discover whose dogs do the mischief

Grain-O! Grain-O!

Remember that name when you want a delicious, appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it. Grain-O is made of pure grain, it aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder and the children as well as the adults can drink it with great benefit. Costs about ¼ as much as coffee. 15c. and 25c. per package. Ask your grocer for Grain-O.

Bought 1600 Acres of Land.

E. M. Huyett of Centre Hall, last week succeeded in closing negotiations with the estate of the late W. A. Thompson, at Potters Mills, whereby he becomes owner of 1600 acres of mountain land. The tract extends from Potters Mills south and is covered with a fine growth of timber. The transfer also includes several houses and buildings on the tract. There is enough timber on this tract to keep three mills busy cutting for four or five years. Mr. Huyett has now in his possession about 2200 acres of land in that section, part of which is cleared. Three mills are running steadily with orders ahead to keep them working for several months. In addition to this E. M. Huyett on Tuesday closed a deal with Wm. Boal for an additional hundred acres.

The Heart Must Not be Trifled With.

Where there are symptoms of heart weakness, there should be Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, it's a magical remedy, gives relief in thirty minutes, and there are thousands who testify that it cures permanently. Mrs. W. T. Rundle, of Dundalk, Ont., says: "I was for years unable to attend to my household duties. I used Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, the result was wonderful, the pain left me immediately after the first dose, and a few bottles cured."—16. For sale by F. Potts Green.

ALL WOMEN AGREE.

A druggist in Macon, Ga., says: "I have sold a large quantity of **Mother's Friend,** and have never known an instance where it has failed to produce the good results claimed for it. All women agree that it makes labor shorter and less painful."

Mother's Friend

is not a chance remedy. Its good effects are readily experienced by **all** expectant mothers who use it. Years ago it passed the experimental stage. While it always shortens labor and lessens the pains of delivery, it is also of the greatest benefit during the earlier months of pregnancy. Morning sickness and nervousness are readily overcome, and the liniment relaxes the strained muscles, permitting them to expand without causing distress. Mother's Friend gives great recuperative power to the mother, and her recovery is sure and rapid. Danger from rising and swelled breasts is done away with completely.

Sold by druggists for $1 a bottle.

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Birthday Anniversary.

Quite a large gathering of friends met at the residence of Councilman Wm. H. Derstine on Penn St., Tuesday evening Nov. 7th to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the birth of Mrs. Mary Derstine, wife of the councilman. The affair proved a great success from a social standpoint, about fifty guests being present. Choice refreshments were served, the tables fairly groaning under the weight of good things. After wishing fifty more years to be added to the good lady's life the guests departed for their various homes feeling that they had passed a most enjoyable evening.

The following named guests were present: Mrs. Philo Ward, Mrs. J. C. Brachbill and sons, Mr. Altenderfer, wife and daughter, James H. Rine and wife, A. Luckenbach and wife, Mortimer Smith and wife, Isaac Underwood and wife, Charles Koontz and wife, Mrs. Miles Walker and son; Mesdames Mary Cox, Jane Marshall, Lucy Cox, I. Longacre and sister, Russell, Harry B. Rine, Rash Williams; Misses Blanche Underwood, Jennie and Myrtle Longacre, Maggie Underwood, Julia Barnhart, Millie Wagner, Mollie Eckert, Fannie Knisely, Edith Otto, Blanche Jacobs, Mary and Sallie Morgan; Messrs. Harry Otto, Ellis Hall, Will Smith, Clarence Longacre, Ward Fleming and others.

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Wednesday evening Captain Hugh S. Taylor and his charming wife entertained a party of friends at their comfortable home on East Howard street. It was just five years ago that Miss Kittie Bauer plighted her troth to this stalwart young soldier and it was perfectly fitting that the wooden wedding, the fifth anniversary of their marriage, should be properly celebrated.

There were about forty guests present who were royally entertained in the usual hospitable manner by the Captain and his wife. Choice refreshments were served to all and the affair proved a social event long to be remembered by those present.

Captain and Mrs. Taylor were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents all of wood, consisting of chairs, tables, stands and bric-a-brac.

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JUDGING from the talk of some of the politicians since the election some men who were bought didn't stay bought.

SHOWERS OF STARS.

Monday night was the great meteoric shower, which has a period of thirty-three years, The best received theory of this phenomenon is that the earth encounters a stream of meteors moving parallel with each other and the radiant is the vanishing point for the parallel lines, which are the resultent direction of the compounded directions and velocities of the earth and the meteor stream. At certain times, when the number of shooting stars is much greater than usual, sometimes so frequent that the fall is given the name of "star shower," the individual meteors do not come at random from all parts of the sky, but most of them radiate from a definite point called the radiant-point. Those originating near this point of the sky have short and slow paths, while those farther from it move swiftly over longer ones; but these paths if extended backward would all intersect very close to the radiant in question. This radiating appearance is purely an effect of perspective, however.

These streams revolve in orbits round the sun. When the meteors are concentrated or bunched near fine or more points of their orbit, the occurrence of the shower will be intermittent as regards years, but always occurs at the same time at which the earth reaches crossroads or node of the meteor orbit. The showers or streams generally take their names from the constellation which contains the radiant point of the stream, and so we call those which should appear on the 13th inst., Leonids.

It was Professor Newton, of Yale college, who first demonstrated that these November Leonids had been regularly recurring every thirty-three years, at a date which grew later in the month by about two days per century.

A Magical Life Saver.

is Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. After years of pain and agony with distressing Heart Disease, it gives relief in thirty minutes. Thos. Petry, of Aylmer, Que., writes: "I had suffered for five years with a severe form of Heart Disease. I was unable to attend to business. The slightest exertion produced fatigue. Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart gave me instead relief, four bottles entirely cured me."—11.

Sold by F. Potts Green.

Young Woman's Wild Ride.

Miss Lucy Scott, daughter of Postmaster Charles W. Scott, of Williamsport, had a thrilling ride behind a driverless team over a dangerous mountain road Sunday night, Nov. 5th,

Miss Scott was one of a party composed of Mrs. John S. Furst, Misses Nell Allen, Edith Bennington, Mr. Allen and Mr. McMullen, who were on their way home from Mosquito Valley, where they had spent Sunday at Mr. Furst's cabin.

While crossing a small road bridge one of the horses stepped over the side of the structure drawing the other horse after him. The driver sprang from his seat to assist the horses, and the occupants of the vehicle with the exception of Miss Scott also jumped to the ground.

Before the driver could reach the horses they sprang up and started at a great pace down the dark mountain road with Miss Scott clinging to a seat of the carriage. She retained her presence of mind and during the wild ride kept gently speaking to the horses and just as they were approaching a steep and dangerous descent the horses obeyed the brave young woman's voice and came to a halt.

Mrs. Furst at whose cabin the ladies were spending Sunday is the wife of John S. Furst of Williamsport, a son of Hon. A. O. Furst of this place.

Volcanic Eruptions.

Are grand but Skin Eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them, also Old, Running and Fever Sores. Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, Warts, Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Best Pile cure on earth. Drives out Pains and Aches. Only 25 cents. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by F. Potts Green Druggist.

A Woman and Her Hairpin.

There is scarcely anything a woman cannot do with a hairpin. They use it to pick their teeth, button shoes, clean finger nails, punch bedbugs out of cracks, fasten up stray bangs, clean out their husband's pipe, scratch their head, pick their toe nails, run it into cakes to see if they are done, and about a million other things that the poor deluded men know nothing at all about.

Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Mont., recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement, "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed."—Rev. Francis W. Poole, Pastor Central Pres. Church, Helena, Mont.

After using Ely's Cream Balm six week I believe myself cured of catarrh. Joseph Stewart, Grand Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

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A Philipsburger With the Boer Army.

Norton King, son of Contractor Harry King, who went to South Africa a couple of years ago, has written to his mother-in-law, Mrs. Andrew Beck, stating that he has joined the Boer army. Philipsburg boys are pretty well scattered over the world's battlefield.—Journal.

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It is the so-called "incurable" and "hopeless" cases, which come in such numbers to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., for treatment. Men and women with weak lungs, obstinate coughs, emaciated bodies and fevered cheeks have found in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery the true elixir of life. "The blood is the life" and the "Discovery" by increasing the activity of the blood making glands, and restoring to healthy action the digestive and nutritive organs, places the entire system in a condition to throw off disease. There is no alcohol, opium, or other narcotic, in "Golden Medical Discovery."

Mr. Chas. Hunwick, of Lenox, Macomb Co., Mich., writes: "I have never felt better in my life than I do now. I have taken Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery right along. I think I am doing finely. I do not cough now and I can sleep like a school boy. I think I will have to change my mind about 'Patent Medicines,' as I never had much faith in them; but you must know that I have been treated in two hospitals and by three doctors besides, and received no benefit; so I think your medicine is the only medicine for me."

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Died at Clearfield.

Mrs. Angeline Mullen, wife of the late James Mullen, and well and favorably known, died at her home in Clearfield, early on Sunday Nov. 5th of paralysis, aged 66 years. Mrs. Mullen enjoyed good health and performed her usual household duties Saturday, and at the time of her death, was planning to leave this week, to visit her daughter in Bellefonte. The deceased was a good christian woman, and to know her was to love her. She was ever ready to lend a helping hand to those in distress. She is survived by three sons and two daughters, viz, Frank, of Curwensville, Lynn, of Lewistown and Thomas, of Los Angeles, Cal., Mrs. Agnes Graham, of Bellefonte, and Margaret Duff of Lewistown, also three sisters and two brothers. viz, Mrs. Plummer of Tyrone, and Mrs. Stine of Indian territory, Robert Lanich, of Tyrone, and George Lanich o Clearfield, Funeral services were held the following Tuesday at one o'clock, Rev. Waddell, offic ating. Interment in new cemetery.

Skeptics Turn Believes and are Cured

"When I read that Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder could relieve Catarrh in 10 minutes I was far from being convinced. I tried it—a single puff through the blower afforded instant relief, stopped pain over the eyes and cleansed the nasal passages. To-day I am free from Catarrh." B. L. Egan's (Easton, Pa.,) My experience has been that of thousands of others and may be yours.—12. Sold by J. N. & S. Krumrine.

New Telephone Company.

The Lock Haven Express says: Arrangements have been completed by the new Commercial Telephone company for extending their lines into this city and the work of erecting poles and wires will be commenced immediately. The lines will also be extended to Tyrone and Philipsburg to connect with other independent lines now in operation.

The new company has over 400 phones in use in Centre county and has 115 miles of wire erected.

This company has a line erected to Sugar Valley with a number of phones in use. It will be but a few weeks now until Lock Haven will be in communcation with all those places over the new lines."

Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four Doctors gave me up saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay, with my friends on earth, I could meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God, I am saved and now a well and healthy woman. Trial bottles free at F. Potts Green's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. Guaranteed or price refunded.

Bush House to be Repainted.

Eckenroth and Montgomery have secured the contract to repaint the Bush House and have already begun the job. It will be painted the original brick color. First the building will be washed all over with lye in order to take as much of the old paint off as possible and then it will be painted brick red with dark green trimmings. The change will be very marked and is calculated to change the entire appearance of this part of town. In 1874 it lost its original brick color and ever since has been cream or white.

SENATOR HANSBROUGH, of North Dakota, said of the coming session of Congress "There will probably be a great deal of striving to make records and deliver speeches for use in the Presidential campaign. I do not look for the enactment of many important laws."

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It isn't only the capacity of the spring, but the absolute purity of its product and the uses to which it is put. For drinking water none better, purer or more wholesome was ever discovered on this continent, and it is the admiration of everybody who has ever visited Centre county's metropolis. And this is not all; since the present efficient superintendent has had charge of the plant the capacity of the spring has not been known to vary even the smallest fraction of an inch, whether exceeding drought or extreme wet weather existed. It is always the same, wet or dry, cold or hot, there never being a scarcity or over-supply of the liquid.

For manufacturing purposes this condition of affairs is especially to be appreciated. The necessary water for quite a number of extensive industrial plants of the place are already supplied from this spring, and others added with congratulatory rapidity. Among those in the writer's mind are such as the Jenkins & Lingle machine shops, Bellefonte glass works. McCalmont & Co., for boilers and steam drills at their lime kilns, Ardell's planing mill, Bellefonte creamery, Lock factory, Edison Electric Light and Steam Heat plants, the Pennsylvania and the Central Railroad tanks, and other industries not here mentioned. A 4-inch pipe is now being laid to supply the new Match factory and also one of same size for the new Shirt factory.

In addition, there are used thirty-three good sized water-motors for running fans during the summer season in the various mercantile and other business places, four large motors in printing offices, and two large cylinders for operating elevators, and yet there is plenty of supply for many more. In fact, the Bellefonte Water Works, with its accompanying spring, is capable of supplying sufficient water for about all the manufactories in the state. This is a pretty strong assertion but not so wild as some may at first glance imagine.

The people of Bellefonte never complain of a scarcity of water, and it is always cool as well as pure for domestic use.

As managed by Supt. Samuel Ryan for the past eighteen years the Bellefonte Water Works system has been placed in as perfect condition as was any similar plant known. Manufacturers all over the country are cordially invited to make a thorough inspection of the water supply here if contemplating locating where they will find the best railroad facilities, the best climate, the best class of people and the best water to be found in any country ever discovered.

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Died at Pine Grove Mills.

The wife of Mr. John Krebs died on Wednesday morning about three o'clock, at her home at Pine Grove Mills, from the effects of a stroke of paralysis received about a week previous. Mrs Krebs was aged about sixty years and leaves to survive her a husband and four children. The children are, Henry, Newton and Miss Iney, all residing at Pine Grove Mills, and Dr. Baker Krebs, at Northumberland, Pa. The funeral took place on Friday morning at Pine Grove Mills, where interment was made.

Small Game Destroyed.

During the recent forest fires hundreds of small game lost their lives in the flames. A hunter on surmounting a small knob near Osceola, which had been encircled by the fire and finally burned over found hundreds of skeletons of rabbits and pheasants which had succumbed to the fury of the flames, after being driven for safety to the circle within the fire, which gradually narrowed until the helpless creatures were suffocated and finally consumed.

IT should be kindly suggested to the human kickers that they can never hope to equal the mule in that line, even by working over time every day.

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Foster's Weather Forecast.

My last bulletin gave forecasts of the storm wave to cross the continent from November 5 to 9, and the next will reach the Pacific coast about 10, cross the west of Rockies country by close of 11, great central valleys from 12 to 14, eastern states 15.

Warm wave will cross the west of Rockies country about 10th, great central valleys 12th to 14th, eastern states 15th. Cool wave will cross the west of Rockies country about 13th, great central valleys 15th, eastern states 17.

Temperature of the week ending November 20 will average about normal.

Near date of this bulletin a low temperature wave will spread out over the great central valleys, its lowest point reaching meridian 90, near 7th. All the country between general linee of the Allegheny and Rocky mountains is included in what I call the great central valley.

Fourth storm wave of November will reach the Pacific coast about 16th, cross the west of Rockies country by close of 17, great central valleys 18 to 20, eastern states 21.

Warm wave will cross the west of Rockies country about 16, great central valleys 18, eastern states 20.

Cool wave will cross the west of Rockies country about 19, great central valleys 21, eastern states 23.

What do the Children Drink?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about ¼ as much. All grocers sell it. 15c. and 25c.

Distilleries Closing.

The two liquor distilleries in the county, John Mulfinger's at Pleasant Gap, and Noah W. Eby's, at Woodward, are about to close down and the gaugers, Glenn, at Woodward, and Brooks, at Pleasant Gap, have been discharged from the internal revenue service, at a salary of $3.50 per day. When the stock on hand at any distillery falls below 5,000 gallons, the government take charge of the plant and a clerk from the district revenue collector's office comes on when any of the liquor is desired to be taken out of bond. These distilleries have been the oldest in the county, and long established.

Spain's Greatest Need.

Mr. R. P. Olivia, of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. In using Electric Bitters, America's greatest Blood and Nerve Remedy all pain soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs. All America knows that it cures liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens the nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life into every muscle, nerve and organ of the body. If weak, tired or ailing you need it. Every bottle guaranteed, only 50 cents. Sold by F. Potts Green Druggist.

Cremation With Liquid Air.

A crematory is being built for burning bodies in liquid air. The corpse is to be placed in an open metallic receptacle and some ten gallons of the liquid poured on. In a few moments, as the nitrogen evaporates first, the oxygen can be ignited and will burn up the body rapidly and thoroughly, avoiding the unpleasant features of the present method, saving much time and reducing the expense.

Local Institute.

Local Institute District No. 5, comprising the townships of Taylor, Worth, Half Moon, Patton, Union; and Unionville boro., will hold an institute at Scotia, on Friday evening and Saturday Nov. 17 and 18. A very interesting programme has been prepared and every effort is being put forth to make the meeting a success. Everyone is invited to attend, teachers especially, and do their utmost toward advancing the cause of education.

THE rebel leader in Luzon seems to have all the agility of an eel, and a very slippery eel at that. He is now far away in the mountains, fleeing before the vigorous advance of the American troops, managing to keep well in advance of them. The only advantage the pursuers appear to have gained is in driving Aguinaldo and his followers away from their sources of supply, so that they may be starved into surrender. It is be hoped the end will come before many weeks pass.

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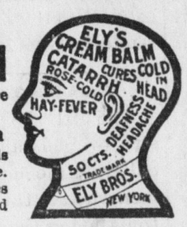

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Admiral Dewey Escaped the Curious.

New York, Nov. 11.—Admiral Dewey and his bride took a drive to Central Park and Grant's tomb yesterday. Later the admiral left the Waldorf and took a brisk walk. On returning he passed through crowds that thronged the windows and halls, but no one seemed to recognize him. He then went straight to his apartments. The admiral said he expected to remain several days in the city, and did not know just what day he would leave.

Five Thousand Witness a Hanging.

Raleigh, Nov. 11.—James Joyner, the Dongola murderer, was hanged at Greenville, N. C., yesterday in the presence of 5,000 people. The execution was without a mishap. The condemned man made a statement on the gallows that he alone was guilty of the crime, and that if others were punished for it the punishment would fall on innocent parties. Notwithstanding the immense crowd the best of order prevailed.

Madman's Fatal Leap.

Hastings, Neb., Nov. 11.—K. F. Larned, of Poland, N. Y., will probably die as the result of a leap taken yesterday from a Burlington passenger train near Harvard. Mr. Larned, who was accompanied by his wife and child, was on his way to Haigler, Neb., to visit his brother. It is supposed that Larned suddenly became insane, for he gave a scream and dived through the window before anyone could stop him.

Struck Oil in Illinois.

Carbondale, Ills., Nov. 11.—Considerable excitement has been created in southern Illinois over the fact that near Texas City, in Saline county, oil in paying quantities and of the very best quality has been secured at a depth of 2,000 feet. Several wells are to be sunk.

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THE GUNBOATS' BOMBARDMENT.

Troops Rushed Waist Deep Through the Surf Under a Heavy But Badly Aimed Rifle Fire From Insurgents, Who Were Driven From Trenches.

Manila, Nov. 11.—The landing of the American troops at San Fabian last Tuesday was the most spectacular affair of the kind since General Shafter's disembarkation at Daiquiri. The cooperation of the troops and the navy was complete. The gunboats made a terrible bombardment for an hour, while the troops rushed, waist deep, through the surf, under a heavy, but badly aimed, rifle fire from the insurgent trenches, and charged right and left, pouring volley after volley at the fleeing rebels. Forty Filipinos were captured, mostly non-commissioned officers. Several insurgent dead and five wounded were found in a building which had suffered considerably from the bombardment. The town was well fortified. The sand dunes were riveted with bamboo 20 feet thick, which afforded a fine cover.

When the transports arrived in the gulf they found the gunboats Princeton, Bennington and others waiting. After consultation with General Wheaton Commander Knox, of the Princeton, and Commander Sheridan, of the Bennington, anchored on the shallow two miles off shore. The gunboats formed a line inside, the Helena, Callao and Manila close in shore. With the first gun of the bombardment the small boats were filled rapidly, without confusion, by Major Cronite's battalion of the Twenty-third infantry and Captain Buck's battalion of the Thirteenth infantry. While the lines of boats moved shoreward the gunboats poured the full force of their batteries into the trenches, soon forcing the insurgents to flee through the burrows dug back of the trenches. About 200 men held their places until the keels of the boats grated on the shore, when their Mauser bullets began to sing overhead.

The battalions formed in good order. Captain Buck, with Pierce's and Patton's companies, pursued the insurgents on the left into the bamboo thickets. On the right was a frail foot bridge across the river, leading to the towns. General Wheaton, personally commanding, ordered a charge across the bridge, and Captain Howland, of his staff, led Coleman's and Elliott's companies of the Thirteenth and Shields' company of the Twenty-third, who behaved splendidly under their first fire, into the town, which was found to be nearly deserted, except by the aged and some Spaniards who had hidden in the buffalo wallows, and who came shouting delightedly toward the Americans. Twenty-eight Spanish prisoners were also rescued.

Two companies of the Thirty-third had a skirmish along the Dagupan road with the retreating Filipinos.

The troops camped in the rain during the night, and in the morning General Wheaton established his headquarters in a church, quartered his men in the houses and sent the captured Filipinos beyond the outposts, with orders not to return.

The inhabitants describe all the roads as practically impassable, and say they believe Aguinaldo has secreted a yacht in the river Longapo, near Subig, for use in his flight when he finds his capture is inevitable.

Wednesday was devoted to reconnaissances. Major Logan went northward to Santo Tomas and burned the Filipino barracks. Captain Buck's Thirteenth went to San Jacinto and disposed of small bands. Marsh's Twenty-third went toward Magdalen, on the Dagupan road, and had several sharp fights with small parties. They killed eight men, brought in 20 prisoners and had five men wounded.

Bell Telephone Company's Rival.

New York, Nov. 11.—Although the incorporation of the Telephone, Telegraph and Cable Company of America, the combination whose reported purpose is to enter the long distance telephone field, was completed Thursday by the filing of papers in Trenton, the names of the companies consolidated in this enterprise are still withheld. The company is at present incorporated for $30,000,000. It is stated on good authority that the capital will soon be increased to $100,000,000, with a supplementary bond issue representing another $100,000,000.

A Big Loan For Guatemala.

San Francisco, Nov. 11.—The Post states that a syndicate of American, English and German bankers has about perfected arrangements with the government of Guatemala to advance to that country $15,000,000, relieving it of its debts and placing the country on a firm financial basis. Under the terms of the agreement the money will be loaned for a term of 25 or 50 years, and will draw interest at 1 per cent. In addition the syndicate will be allowed to control a certain percentage of the customs receipts of the different ports.

Vote of the President's Home County

Canton, O., Nov. 10.—The official canvass of the vote in Canton and Stark county, President McKinley's home city and county, was completed last night. The returns for the city show an increase in the Republican plurality of 317 as compared with Bushnell's vote in 1897 and a decrease of 120 compared with McKinley for president in 1896. The county shows an increased Republican plurality of 982 as compared with 1897 and of 676 as compared with 1896.

Afterdamp Explosion Closes Mine.

Greensburg, Pa., Nov. 11.—An explosion of afterdamp occurred in the mine at Herminie yesterday, in which Harry Watker and Solomon Hurst were considerably injured. Both were overcome by the gas and remained unconscious for several hours. It is thought both will recover. The mines are closed down in consequence of the accident.

UNHERALDED HEROES.

General Funston Objects to Discrimination in His Favor.

Kansas City, Nov. 11.—At a banquet and reception to General Funston and the officers of the Tenth Kansas regiment last night General Funston made a speech in which he said:

"I am not a hero. I don't feel like one. Just an officer is all I am, who has been very fortunate because the officers and men under him have never failed to follow when he went somewhere. I know that it has been my lot to receive the major portion of the honor that belongs to the men. I give them three-fourths and claim only a share of the rest. There were and are a great many officers and men in the Philippines who have done braver deeds—braver were never done—and whose names pass with no cheer. They never get into the papers. On the night of April 27, 1899, when General MacArthur told me that the Grand river bridge would have to be taken, and I asked 16 officers and men to go with me, where to be taken apparently meant certain death, 50 of them were eager to go. Since I returned to America I have heard not one word of Captain O'Hara, who was one of the bravest and most efficient officers on the Orient. Numberless instances could be mentioned where bravery has not been applauded."

THE KENTUCKY CONFLICT.

A Typographical Error Which Results in Advantage to Democrats.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 11.—The official count of the ballots cast on Tuesday was begun yesterday throughout the state. In this city a large crowd gathered in the court house. Judging from the progress already made the official return will show no great variation from the unofficial figures, which give Louisville and Jefferson county to the Republicans by a plurality of about 3,000.

There is no change in the claims of the party managers. The Democrats assert that Goebel will have a plurality of 4,000, while the nominee himself places it at 7,000. The Republicans claim Taylor is elected by a plurality of 4,000.

The Times has the following from Bardstown, Ky., concerning the count in progress there:

A serious technical error in the vote may increase Goebel's Nelson county plurality to 1,886. In the official count it was discovered that in every precinct except one W. P. instead of W. S. Taylor was voted for, and one precinct, New Hope, gives W. S. Taylor, the Republican candidate, only 73.

Big Railroad Battle to Come.

Irwin, Pa., Nov. 11.—A sensation was sprung here yesterday in regard to the absorption of the Youghiogheny railroad by the Pennsylvania company. Local officials of the former line have received from Philadelphia orders directing the local officers of the Penn Gas Coal comapny, operating the road, to turn it over to the Pennsylvania. Employes were ordered to go to Pittsburg for instructions and the Pennsylvania rolling stock was put on the road. Now comes the report that the big corporation took possession without legal right, because the sale was not ratified by the board of directors of the company operating the Youghhiogheny railroad, and a big battle will follow. It will be a fight between the Pennsylvania and the Baltimore and Ohio.

The admissions to Philadelphia's export exposition yesterday numbered 19,677.

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Westward.				Eastward.	
p m	a m			a m	p m
1 38	5 40		Montandon	9 15	4 50
1 45	6 35		Lewisburg	9 05	4 47
1 57	6 47		Vicksburg	8 53	4 35
2 05	6 55		Mifflinburg	8 45	4 27
2 16	7 07		Millmont	8 33	4 16
2 23	7 13		Glen Iron	8 26	4 08
2 51	7 40		Paddy Mountain	8 00	3 43
3 02	7 50		Coburn	7 50	3 32
3 08	7 57		Zerby	7 43	3 25
3 17	8 05		Rising Spring	7 35	3 17
3 23	8 11		Penns Cave	7 28	3 10
3 30	8 18		Centre Hall	7 22	3 02
3 35	8 24		Gregg	7 17	2 55
3 42	8 31		Linden Hall	7 10	2 48
3 46	8 35		Oak Hall	7 06	2 43
3 50	8 39		Lemont	7 02	2 38
3 54	8 43		Dale Summit	6 57	2 34
4 03	8 52		Pleasant Gap	6 48	2 24
4 06	8 55		Axemann	6 45	2 21
4 30	9 00		Bellefonte	6 40	2 15

PENNSYLVANIA R. R. AND BRANCHES' Schedule in effect July 10, 1899.

Via Tyrone—Westward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.53 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.10 a m, at Altoona 1 p m, at Pittsburg 5.50 p m
Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Tyrone 2.15 p m, at Altoona 3.10 p m, at Pittsburg 6.55 p m
Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Altoona 7.40 p m, at Pittsburg 11 30 p m

Via Tyrone—Eastward,

Leave Bellefonte 9.53 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.10, at Harrisburg 2.40 p m, at Philadelphia 5.47 p m
Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Tyrone 2.15 p m, at Harrisburg 6.45 p m, at Philadelphia 10.20 p m
Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Harrisburg 10 p m

Via Lock Haven—Northward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.32 a m, arrive at Lock Haven 10.30 a m
Leave Bellefonte 1.42 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2 43 p m, at Williamsport 3.50 p m
Leave Bellefonte 8.31 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 9.30 p m

Via Lock Haven—Eastward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.32 a m, arrive at Lock Haven 10.30 a m, leave Williamsport 12 40 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 3.20 p m, at Philadelphia at 6.25 p m
Leave Bellefonte 1.42 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2.43 p m, arrive at Williamsport 3.50 p m, leave 4.00 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 6.55 p m, Philadelphia 10.20 p m
Leave Bellefonte 8.31 p m arrive at Lock Haven 9 30 p m, leave Williamsport 12.50 a m, arrive at Harrisburg 3.40 a m, arrive at Philadelphia 6.52 a m

Via Lewisburg.

Leave Bellefonte at 6.40 a m, arrive at Lewisburg at 9.05 a m, Montandon 9.15 a m, Harrisburg 11.30 a m, Philadelphia 3.00 p m.
Leave Bellefonte 2,15 p m, arrive at Lewisburg 4.47, at Harrisburg 6.55 p m, Philadelphia at 10.20 p m

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J. R. WOOD, Gen. Pass Agt.
J. B. HUTCHENSON, General Manager.

TYRONE AND CLEARFIELD RAILROAD. Time table in effect July. 10, 1899.

NORTHWARD.					SOUTHWARD.		
EXPRESS	DAY EXPRESS.	MAIL.	STATIONS.	EXPRESS.	DAY EXPRESS.	MAIL.
P M	P M	A M	Lv Ar	P M	A M	P M
7 20	3 20	8 20	..... Tyrone	8 55	11 20	6 10
7 26	3 26	8 26	...East Tyrone..	8 49	11 14	6 04
7 28	3 28	8 28	.....Tyrone S.....		11 12	6 02
7 31	3 30	8 31	..... Vail	8 45	11 09	5 57
7 41	3 40	8 42	...Vanscoyoc...	8 38	11 02	5 52
7 45	3 44	8 47	.....Gardner	8 33	10 59	5 48
7 54	3 53	8 57	...Mt. Pleasant..	8 27	10 51	5 39
8 00	3 59	9 05	..... Summit	8 20	10 44	5 32
8 05	4 03	9 09	...Sandy Ridge..	8 14	10 38	5 27
8 06	4 05	9 11	.....Retort	8 11	10 35	5 21
8 07	4 06	9 12	..... Powelton	8 09	10 33	5 19
8 15	4 12	9 19	..... Osceola	7 59	10 23	5 08
		9 26	.Osceola Junct		10 20	5 04
8 19	4 16	9 29	..... Boynton.....	7 55	10 17	5 01
8 23	4 20	9 32	..... Steiners	7 51	10 13	4 57
8 26	4 23	9 40	...Philipsburg ...	7 50	10 12	4 56
8 31	4 29	9 45	.....Graham	7 46	10 07	4 51
8 36	4 34	9 50	..... Blue Ball.....	7 41	10 02	4 46
8 42	4 40	9 56	.....Wallaceton...	7 36	9 56	4 39
8 47	4 45	10 02	.....Bigler	7 31	9 50	4 33
8 53	4 50	10 08	....Woodland.....	7 26	9 45	4 27
8 56	4 54	10 11	Mineral Spr'gs	7 23	9 42	4 25
9 00	4 58	10 15	..... Barrett	7 21	9 39	4 20
9 05	5 03	10 22	.....Leonard.....	7 17	9 35	4 15
9 09	5 07	10 26	.....Clearfield ...	7 13	9 31	4 09
9 14	5 12	10 32	.....Riverview....	7 09	9 26	4 03
9 20	5 18	10 39	Susque. Bridge	7 04	9 20	3 56
9 25	5 37	10 44	Curwensville..	7 00	9 15	3 51
	5 43	10 50	.....Rustic.....	6 54		3 35
	5 51	10 58	.....Stronach	6 46		3 27
	5 57	11 04	.....Grampian	6 49		3 21
P M	P M	P M	Ar Lv	P M	A M	P M

BALD EAGLE VALLEY—PENNSYLVANIA Railroad Division. Daily except Sunday. Schedule in effect on and after July 10, 1899.

Westward.				Eastward.		
55	53	51		50	52	54
p m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p m
3 45	12 10	8 55	...Lock Haven..	10 10	2 43	9 30
3 49		8 59	... Flemington ...	10 24	2 39	9 26
3 51	12 16	9 01	.....Mill Hall.....	10 22	2 37	9 24
4 02	12 26	9 12	...Beech Creek..	10 11	2 26	9 13
4 05	12 29	9 15	.....Eagleville....	10 08	2 23	9 10
4 11	12 38	9 24	..... Howard.....	9 59	2 14	9 01
4 20		9 30	...Mount Eagle...	9 53	2 08	8 55
4 25	12 48	9 34	..... Curtin.....	9 49	2 04	8 51
4 32	12 55	9 41	.....Milesburg.....	9 40	1 55	8 43
4 44	1 05	9 53	.....Bellefonte.....	9 28	1 42	8 31
4 53	1 13	10 01	....Milesburg	9 18	1 33	8 23
4 56	1 16	10 04	...Snow Shoe Int...	9 15	1 30	8 20
5 03	1 23	10 11	.....Unionville.....	9 07	1 23	8 12
5 12	1 31	10 20	..... Julian	8 58	1 14	8 23
5 21	1 39	10 28	..... Martha.....	8 49	1 06	7 54
5 28	1 45	10 36	...Port Matilda...	8 42	1 00	7 47
5 35	1 51	10 44	..... Hannah.....	8 35	12 54	7 40
5 37		10 46	..... Fowler.....	8 33	12 52	7 38
5 40		10 49	..... Dix.....	8 30	12 50	7 35
5 46	2 01	10 56	...Bald Eagle...	8 24	12 44	7 29
5 50	2 05	11 00	..... Vail	8 20	12 40	7 25
5 54	2 09	11 04	...East Tyrone...	8 16	12 36	7 21
6 00	2 15	11 10	.....Tyrone.....	8 10	12 30	7 15
p m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p m

Nos. 50 and 55 will run daily.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA. Condensed Time Table.

READ DOWN.			Nov. 21, 1898.	READ UP		
No. 1	No. 5	No. 3		No. 6	No. 2	No. 4
a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	Lv. Ar.	p.m	a.m.	p.m
†7 10	†7 50	†2 40	Bellefonte	10 17	9 40	†5 10
7 22	8 02	2 52	Nigh	10 04	9 27	†4 57
7 28	8 08	2 58	Zion	9 59	9 21	†4 51
7 33	8 13	3 03	Hecla Park	9 54	9 16	†4 46
7 35	8 15	3 05	Dunkles	9 52	9 14	4 44
7 39	8 19	3 09	Hublersburg	9 49	9 11	4 40
7 43	8 23	3 13	Snydertown	9 46	9 06	†4 36
7 46	8 26	3 16	Nittany	9 44	9 03	4 33
7 48	8 29	3 18	Huston	9 42	9 00	4 30
7 51	8 32	3 21	Lamar	9 40	8 57	4 27
7 53	8 35	3 23	Clintondale	9 38	8 54	4 24
7 57	8 39	3 27	Krider's S'n'g	9 34	8 49	4 19
8 02	8 44	3 32	Mackeyville	9 30	8 43	†4 13
8 08	8 50	3 38	Cedar Springs	9 24	8 37	†4 07
8 10	8 52	3 40	Salona	9 22	8 35	4 05
8 15	8 57	3 45	Mill Hall	†9 17	†8 30	†4 00
			(BEECH CREEK R. R.)			
11 45			Jersey Shore		7 55	3 25
12 20	9 50		Arr WM'PORT Lve		7 21	†2 56
12 34	10 25		Lve WM'PORT Arr		*6 85	2 30
	11 30		(PHILA AND READING RY.)			
8 29			PHILA		11 36	†8 36
10 40	7 09		NEW YORK (Via Phila)		9 00	†4 30
	‡9 30					
p.m			Ar. Lv.	p.m.	a.m.	

*Daily. † Week Days, ‡ 6 00 p. m. Sunday ‡ 10 55 a. m. Sunday.

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J. W GEHART, General Superintendent.

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD—On and after Monday, April 3rd, 1899, trains will run as follows, leaving the P. R. R. station.

WESTWARD.				EASTWARD.		
College Accm.	Exp.			Mail.	Exp.	Ac
1†	†5	†3	Lv Ar	†2	†4	6†
a.m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p. m
6 30	4 15	10 30	Bellefonte	8 50	2 40	6 40
6 35	4 21	10 37	Coleville	8 40	225	6 30
f6 38	f4 25	f10 42	Morris	f 8 37	f2 22	f6 27
f6 43	f4 28	f10 47	Whitmer	f8 32	f2 17	f6 23
f6 46	f4 33	f10 53	Hunters	f8 31	f2 10	f6 21
f6 50	f4 36	f10 56	Filmore	f8 28	f2 06	f6 18
f6 55	f4 40	f11 02	Briarly	f8 24	f2 00	f6 14
7 00	4 43	11 05	Waddle	8 20	1 55	6 10
f7 03	f4 45	f11 08	Lambourn	f8 18	f1 52	f6 07
f7 12	f4 55	f11 20	Krumrine	f8 07	f1 37	f5 52
7 25	5 00	11 35	State College	8 00	1 30	5 45
f7 27	f5 05	f11 24	Struble	f7 45	f1 34	f5 25
f7 31	f5 19		Bloomsdorf	f7 40		f5 20
7 35	5 15		Pine Grv Mills	7 35		5 15

Morning trains from Montandon, Lewisburg, Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 3 and 5 for State College. Afternoon trains from Montandon Lewisburg, Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 5 for State College. Trains from State College connect with Penna R R trains at Bellefonte for points east and west.

f stops on flag. † Daily except Sunday.

F. H. THOMAS, Sup.

SNOW SHOE BRANCH—DAILY EXCEPT Sunday—In effect July 10, 1899.

a m		STATIONS.	p m
11 26	7 27	Arrive Snow Shoe Leave	7 40
10 00	6 05	Snow Shoe Intersection	9 15
10 01	5 55	Milesburg	9 18
9 53	5 45	Leave Bellefonte Arrive	9 32

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EDITORIAL.

CHICAGO contractors and architects have begun a fight to break up all existing labor unions. A rather big contract, that.

THERE is a suspicion that some Kentuckians have mistaken powder flasks for the other kind of flasks and have wet their powder.

REAR ADMIRAL PHILIP'S attempt to make Bible study a feature at the Annapolis Naval Academy will be watched with interest by many.

POLITICAL stars are not the only kind which have fallen this month, but the fall of the meteors, or shooting stars, is a much more interesting sight.

THE second annual meeting of the Postmasters' Association, at which all the first-class postoffices were represented, has been pulled off in Washington.

THE only sure way for the United States to keep the "open door" in China is to be always prepared to open it by force if any government desires to close it.

ONE peculiarity of the election returns is that politicians of all parties can always find encouragement in them, no matter how jug-handled they may appear to others.

WHAT has the Czar of Russia done with all the gold he was said to possess several years ago, when he offered to loan the United States several hundred millions without security? He is now said to be trying to negotiate a loan in Germany.

Queer Breach of Promise Suit.

A young civil engineer of London, who was recently sued for breach of promise, asserted in defense that his sweetheart grew cold and indifferent. The plaintiff, as an offset to this charge, set forth with documentary evidence that when she wrote to her fiance with as much warmth as she was capable of, he returned her letters with faults of orthography and grammar corrected in red ink. This treatment, in the judgment of the court, was sufficient to account for any waning of enthusiasm on the young woman's part, and she was awarded a verdict $250.

Reaching Everywhere.

A private letter received here the other day from a Louisiana cotton planter said that he was selling all his cotton at 7 to 12 cents a pound and nothing under 7 cents. A man who has just returned from Huntsville says he saw cotton selling there from the wagons of the negro planters at 6-52 cents a pound. Such prices as these mean a high state of prosperity in the South, and completely knock out the force of Senator James Jones' remark that he didn't see any great prosperity, and that cotton hadn't advanced much, anyhow. The Senator, in common with a great many others keeps his eyes fixed upon that time when cotton sold on the plantation at 2½ to 3 cents. That time has gone by now, and we are living in a new and better era.— Louisville Courier Journal.

OUR N. Y. CORRESPONDENT

Compares Financial Condition of Last Two Administrations.

ADVANCE THE COUNTRY IS MAKING

McKinley and Bryan Will Be the Candidates—No One Can Doubt the Result—Prosperity Unprecedented—Should Sell Bonds that Cleveland Bought.

NEVER BETTER TIME TO LOAN MONEY

NEW YORK, Nov. 11, 1899.

The stock market continues in a somewhat waiting attitude.

The present activity and high rates for money simply give the opportunity for the banks to loan funds out liberally, as it is through interest rates that money is obtained for dividends to the stockholders of the institutions, and as the activity in money at the present time is caused by prosperity, they feel justified in putting out all they can. There never was a time when it was safer to do it.

The elections had little effect. Their results, however, were eminently satisfactory to those who believe sound money and commercial expansion necessary for the country's progress and prosperity. Of course in the next national election Mr. McKinley and Mr. Bryan will again be rival candidates. That is the natural sequence of Tuesday's elections; but no sane individual has any misgivings about the outcome. The Administration has already been well sustained; continued prosperity will strengthen its hold upon popular imagination; and the discontent upon which Mr. Bryan's fallacies chiefly thrived is now a thing of the past. Facts and circumstances are against any serious revival of Bryanism.

Bank clearings and railroad earnings both emphatically remind us of the phenomenal advances which the country is making. Activity prevails in almost every trade and in every section of the land. New enterprises are springing up; some to supply new wants; others to meet the great demand for manufactured goods. The railroads are obliged to face increased expenses; but advances in rail rates and heavy traffic promise continued large net returns and the ranks of dividend-payers are likely to be increased. Railroad securities still constitute one of the safest forms of investment, and some of the low priced issues are likely to score good advances during the next six months. The Industrials are often making extraordinary profits; but these cannot continue when increased competition begins and trade demands assume normal proportions.

An important difference between the former Administration and the present one is that the previous one had such a depleted Treasury, due to the continued bad times, that the Government was compelled to be a constant seller of bonds, while the present one, due to good times prevailing, has an excess of money in its vaults, the locking up of which is retarding the prosperous business of the entire country. To admit of this money getting out of the Treasury the Government would certainly be justified in buying up some of the very bonds that were sold during the last administration and, as the money paid out therefor could be advantageously employed by the American enterprising people, it would doubtless be a sagacious policy to adopt, besides making the contrast a very marked one between the financial conditions of the two Administrations.

HENRY CLEWS.

THE PRELIMINARY REPORT OF THE PHILIPPINE COMMISSION.

The preliminary report of the Philippine Commission, which has just been given to the President, cuts the ground completely from under the feet of those who have been opposing the President's policy. It is a complete refutation of many slanders against the American cause, and a thorough justification of what has been done under American authority in the Philippines. The special memorandum furnished by Admiral Dewey shows that Aguinaldo was not taken back to Manila upon any promises, implied or expressed, of being permitted to set up an independent government. No person in the commission of the United States broke faith with him in any way. The restraint imposed upon his followers by the American authorities was authorized by their knowledge of his shifty character, and by the unsettled conditions prevailing.

The findings of the Commission show that the armed clash was brought about by the Filipinos, who were wholly at fault. The desire of the Americans for peace, and their efforts to preserve peace, were construed as evidences of cowardice. The war has been conducted by us with every evidence of humanity. The enemy's wounded have been succored, prisoners have been fed and turned loose, churches have not been sacked or desecrated except when first occupied as forts by the enemy, and our troops have always treated non-combatants well except sometimes when under great provocation there was good ground for belief that the pretended "amigos" had just been guilty of firing on our troops.

The report strongly sets forth that the people of the archipeligo are not yet fit to be trusted with self-government. They are not only without experience but have not even a proper conception of what self-government requires. They need preparation and a guiding hand to fit them for participation in governmental affairs, and the course that has been followed has kept this end in view. These are the salient features of the work of the Commission and coming from Admiral Dewey and the members of both political parties composing this Commission, it should silence the slanders which have impeached American integrity and good faith, and lent encouragement to the enemies of the flag.

The members of the Commission went in person to the White House to deliver their report to the President, and when seen just as he was leaving, Admiral Dewey said that he endorsed every word of the report, though he had not written it. He said, "There has never been a moment since the first gun was fired that the United States could have withdrawn from the Islands, and the reasons set forth in the report as to why permanent American control is essential are in my opinion immovable. There is no other alternative. I look for an early termination of the war. In fact I firmly believe that the bottom has dropped out of the insurrection."

TERRITORIAL GOVERNMENT FOR HAWAII.

Senator Collum, of Illinois, said, when here a few days ago, that as soon as Congress meets he will reintroduce his bill to establish a Territorial government in Hawaii. This bill was favorably reported last session by the Senate committee, but in the House there were two reports. The minority report made by the Demoratic members opposed the bill on the grounds that the Supreme Court of the Islands was made the final judge of the qualifications of members of the Legislature, the judges were appointed for life, a long term of residence and a property qualification were required of voters, and because they claimed that too much power was given the governor. Mr. Cullom thinks there is little doubt that the bill will be passed this session practically as it is now, as it has been drawn up after the most careful consideration of the Islands' peculiar needs.

GENERAL OTIS has doubtless been pleased to observe that all the British war news from South Africa is carefully censored.

THE rumor of an impending war between Russia and Japan hangs on with persistency worthy of fact, notwithstanding official denials.

THOSE who enjoy studying out complicated puzzles should try to keep track of the revolutions and counter-revolutions in Venezuela.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13, 1899.

President McKinley takes time from the work of preparing his message to Congress, now well under way, to exchange congratulations on the strong endorsement of expansion given by the voters in every state in which the policy of the administration has made the issue, with Republican Senators and Representatives who have called on him since the elections. Among his more recent callers was Senator Kyle, of South Dakota, who said of the campaign in his state: "The issue was the support of the administration and expansion and the result was an emphatic endorsement of the administration and its policy in the Philippines." Representative Grosvenor, of Ohio, another caller, said: "It is my honest opinion that even before Congress meets, the insurrection in the Philippines will be ended and the situation be such as to allow the President to turn the matter over to Congress for legislation. It looks to me as though it would not be many days before our army has captured Aguinaldo and ended his rebellion. With the downfall of Aguinaldo will end all this talk of the so-called imperialistic movement. The elections have already shown the weakness of the anti expansion policy, and I do not think the Democrats will dare to go to their national convention and declare against expansion in the face of this year's elections. By that time anti-expansion will be so dead that even the Democrats will not try to revive it." Senator McCumber, of North Dakota, said: "Expansion in North Dakota doesn't mean imperialism and a big standing army. It means development of trade. We want, of course, an army of sufficient strength for an important nation." Representative Barham, of Cal., said: "The President and his policy has the approval of the majority of the people, and the result of the elections make it certain, if it was not so before, that McKinley and Bryan will run against each other again. McKinley will defeat him easily."

Mrs. Elizabeth I. Joy, wife of Representative Joy, of Missouri, is actively engaged in working up sentiment against allowing Roberts, the polygamist Representative-elect from Utah, to retain his membership of the House. She has prepared a petition, a copy of which she has sent to the wife of every member of the House of the Fifty-sixth Congress, requesting that it be signed and returned to her. This petition reads as follows: "We, the wives of the members-elect of the incoming Congress, hereby urge our respective husbands in their official capacity, and the Fifty-sixth Congress as an organized body, to expel from membership therein Brigham H. Roberts, of Utah. The spirit of our civilization and of our laws, as well as the dignity of American womanhood and the purity of the American home, demand that neither he, nor any such as he, shall ever take part in the councils of the lawmakers of our beloved country."

Dr. Wise, of the Second district of Virginia, who was seated in the last House after a contest, will contest the same seat against the same opponent, in the next House. Speaking of the frauds practiced in his district, in order to make an apparent Democratic majority where everybody knows the majority is overwhelmingly Republican, Dr. Wise said: "This outrage on the purity of the ballot cannot be indefinitely continued. There are signs of a revulsion of feeling among Democrats of the better class who are tired of seeing this rascally work done year after year. And when election day in 1900 comes round hundreds of Virginia Democrats will cast their votes for Wm. McKinley, for they are anxious to see a continuation of the present prosperity, which they fear would be changed to adversity if their party should get in power."

Senator Foraker said of the result in Ohio, which he played so important a part in bringing about, and of the general result: "It was a victory for the administration and will greatly strengthen President McKinley, and in that way have a decided effect upon Congress, and the whole country. Prosperity will continue and nobody will think of any other Republican than McKinley as our candidate for the presidency in 1900. Changes in the political situation will come, no doubt, within the next twelve months, but the probabilities are that they will strengthen the Republican party. The most likely changes will be the suppression of the insurrection in the Philippines, the enactment of the necessary legislation to reform and improve our monetary system, to restore our merchant marine, to build an Oceanic canal across the Isthmus, etc. These are all great measures, to which the American people are already committed, and the Democratic party cannot well afford to oppose them. Yet, except in the opposition to such measures the Democrats will be without any important issue. The Democratic party seems to be bottled up, like General Butler was at Bermuda Hundreds."

The admission by two prominent Democratic Senators—Caffery, of Louisiana, and Morgan, of Alabama, —that anti-expansion was killed and the re-election of President McKinley practically assured by the state elections, was significant. It shows their ability to properly gage the sentiment of the country, even when it is directly against the party to which they belong.

TRAVELS OF AN ENGLISH LETTER.

From the London Times.

Thomas Swan, No. 14 St. Mary avenue, writes: "I think it may be of interest to bring to notice the remarkable journey of a letter through the penny post. On Christmas Day 1898, there came into force penny postage with British Central Africa. On that day I posted a letter with a penny stamp addressed to a friend living in Uganda, which is near as possible in the centre of Africa. I have just recived this letter back through the Returned Letter Office, and the manner of its journey is indeed extraordinary, The first postmark after leaving London is Mombasa, where it started inland for a short distance by the new railway, and they by post runner to the Victoria Nyanza Lake, at Uganda, where, at Port Alice, the postmark is dated March 2,1899. It was there forwarded to Toro, postmarked 29, and, that being the extreme limit of the British protectorate the letter was thence sent by messenger to the nearest Belgian outposts of the Congo State on Lake Albert Edward. The letter here bears date of April 3 received and April 6 despatched, from Fort Beni, and certified by the Belgian officer in command there. Next come postmarks of Stanly Falls and Leopoldville, with dates illegible. The letter was readdressed to Boma, and seems to have at last found its way from there to the Atlantic coast, and then returned to me here. A point worth mentioning is that the letter is one of the very few that can possibly bear post date December 25, 1898, on a penny stamp for the colonies. On that day the receipt of penny letters began. As Christmas Day fell on a Sunday, the additional difficulty was surmounted by posting at the Charing Cross telegraph box."

BILLS A CENTURY OLD.

From the Chicago Daily News.

There is a bill for groceries, etc., furnished for an undergraduate at Cambridge in the year 1788. The bill contains one or two items of furniture. Apparently the undergraduate took over rooms already furnished at a valuation and certain articles had to be bought new, such as a hearth brush, a pail, a mop and a "Holland Gotch"—one knows not what this means, but it cost 2 shillings 9 pence (43 cents).

The undergraduate would seem at first sight to have consumed tea in a most reckless manner. On October 24 he is charged 2 shillings for Hyson and 1 shilling 6 pence for Congo. On November 1 he is charged 2 shilling for tea and on the day, which looks odd, 6 shillings 6 pence for tea. On the 9th of the month he buys a new teapot, the old one, one supposes, worn out with hard service. However, this tea lasts him till the end of the term so that his tea costs him for the two months no more than 11 shillings, or $2.75, and as the price of tea at this time varied from 8 shillings to about 25 shillings, we may conclude that he got through no more than a pound during the term.

In other words, this young man took for breakfast a slight repast of weak tea and bread and butter. Dinner was then served at 12, so that breakfast was only what the Indians call a "chota hazri." On sugar he spent 4 shillings, which means six pounds at 8 pence a pound. On candles he spent 24 shilling 8½ pence, or about 3 shillings a week. He burned wax candles, mold candles and "wax twist". Salt was a shilling a packet. On two occasions he bought sand. Was, then, the floor of his room sanded? It would seem so.

The Girls That Helps Mother.

The girl who gives way to a desire to gad about the streets and cultivate the acquaintance of young men who act the simpering simpletonis laying the foundation for a useless life, Ten to one after she is married she will develop into a slatternly gossip, if no greater misfortune befalls her. It is the girl of good, sound sense, the girl that loves home and helps mother tha wins the model husband and becomes an ornament to womanhood. The girl that does this and devotes some of her time to reading, tries to win the esteem of everybody while a gadding street ornament wins the admiration of those whose admiration is not worth any thing.

Queer Umbrella Handles.

Architectural umbrella handles are the latest London extravagance. Preferably the umbrella is covered with black or very dark blue silk, and the handle is its artistic finish. Its shaft is of ivory or some rare wood, smoothed and carved at the top in clever imitation of an Ionic, Doric or Corinthian capital. The idea is not only odd but artistic, and it is to be deplored that the rage for jeweled decorations bids fair to vulgarize the symbolism. Already a great Gotham silversmith is showing expensive column handles designed in both silver and gold, as well as gun metal, thickly studded with real jewels. This is bad enough, but it will be worse when, as is inevitable, copies will be made in plated metal and mock gems.

Designed for Power and Speed.

It is understood that the new class C. 4 A passenger engines which are to be built at once at the Altoona shops of the Pennsylvania railroad, are intended for the lines west of Pittsburg. They will have ten wheels, six of them seventy two inch drivers, and unusually large tanks. They will weigh in working order over 160,000 pounds, and are calculated to handle the heaviest passenger train over the worst grades unassisted and made the schedule time.

—And now the bicycle, automobile and rubber interests of the country are talking about getting together and forming an extensive trust that will control the whole business in these lines. This would, if carried to a successful conclusion, be the best thing for the public that could happen. It would insure the highest grade of machines for the least money and would do away with the various incomplete and unsatisfactory articles that now tempt the dollars out of the pocket of the poor man.

A poem by Kipling on the Transvaal crisis is, of course, the first item to attract attention in the November number of McClure's Magazine. In England they are placing the poem even above "The Recessional", and certainly it is a very powerful and inspiriting utterance. In order to get it into the present number, the editors of McClure's had to have the poem sent to them by cable from London.

There are papers of notable interest in the number and three or four good short stories. The S.S. McClure Co. New York City.

WHEN the Kentucky politicians stop bluffing and begin shooting will be time enough for other men to take to the woods.

AFFLICTED MONARCH.

THE EMPEROR OF GERMANY Is a Victim of Chronic Catarrh, Producing a Running Ear.

EMPEROR WILLIAM OF GERMANY.

The Emperor of Germany has a running ear. Just think of it; a man at whose beck one of the strongest armies and navies of the whole earth could be set in motion, a man whose rule is absolute over the country of medical universities, a man whose slightest caprice could press into service the most noted savants and philosophers on earth, has a running ear and is unable to find a cure!

Now contrast the experience of the following citizens of the United States with the Emperor of Germany. Like the Emperor, they failed to find a cure. But, unlike the Emperor, they happened to be plain citizens of the United States, rather than the center of the inner court of the most exclusive and carefully guarded aristocracy of the world. In his position nothing but the remedies that have met the approval of the most fastidious medical orthodoxy could ever reach him. In the position of these American citizens, however, they had access to remedies old and new, tried and untried, approved and disapproved. They were at perfect liberty to try anything they chose to. They chose to try the remedy that had cured others like themselves, and thus they found a cure.

Scott Bostick, of Sumpter, S. C., cured of Running Ears by Dr. Hartman.

Running of the ears, deafness or all other affections of the middle ear, are due primarily to chronic catarrh. Running of the ears properly called chronic suppurative catarrh. Pe-ru-na will cure catarrh of the middle ear, as well as catarrh located elsewhere. This has been proven over and over again in innumerable cases besides the ones just mentioned. Deafness and running of the ears are but symptoms of chronic catarrh of the middle ear. Pe-ru-na cures the catarrh, when the symptoms disappear, whether it be running ears or deafness or any other affection of the middle ear. The remedy is compounded according to the formula originally devised by Dr. Hartman of the Surgical Hotel, Columbus, O., the noted writer and lecturer on all catarrhal diseases.

The second case, Mr. H. Walter Brady, Cascade, Ark., is a case of suppuration of the middle ear of 14 years' standing. He says: "I had running ears, and for 14 years I was almost an invalid. It was so offensive that I excluded myself from all society. I received a pamphlet from Dr. Hartman entitled 'The Ills of Life.' He wrote me that the remedy was simple and that I could cure myself. After using $17 worth of his remedies I was entirely cured. The world could not buy my fortune. I recommend Pe-ru-na to all as the best medicine sold."

Mr. H. Walter Brady.

The third case is that of Rev. S. H. Renfro, Norbarne, Mo., who had running ears. He says: "My head gathered and broke and my ears ran terribly. I tried several remedies with no relief. At last I got a bottle of Pe-ru-na and it did me so much good that I kept on using it; am on the fourth bottle, and must say it has removed all my bad symptoms. My head does not pain any more, my ears have stopped running and I feel a great deal better.

Rev. S. H. Renfro.

The next is the case of Master Murphy, of Iatan, Mitchell county, Texas, who had been troubled with running ears ever since he was nine months old. After a thorough course of treatment with Pe-ru-na he was entirely cured, and is now rejoicing in the fact that he is entirely free from this horrible disease.

Master Murphy.

A free book treating catarrh in all of its different phases and stages, written by Dr. Hartman, will be sent free, by addressing The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Co., Columbus, Ohio.

USE OF TELEPHONES.

Habit of Talking in Thunder Tones Over the Line a Fallacious Idea.

It may appear somewhat doubtful to many, but it is nevertheless true, that there are to-day various individuals who have used telephones in their business offices, or stores or homes for a number of years, and yet they fail, even after these years of experience, to fully understand the proper use or correct method of deriving and bestowing the full benefit afforded by these now indispensible scientific instruments.

To illustrate, there are some people who imagine, after having "called up" the party with whom they wish to converse, that it is necessary to talk in a loud tone of voice so that the one at the other end of the line can hear them, and the farther the distance between them the louder or higher the talker imagines his voice has to be pitched in order to be heard. According to this theory, if you talk to a person across the street or within the block the voice can be somewhat modulated, when the sound is to be carried a score or more miles it must be in stentorian tones, and when the long distance phone is used to Philadelphia, New York, Chicago, or even across the Continent it must be in tones of thunder or loud enough to partake the nature of a thunder storm.

This is all a mistaken idea of the telephone service as it is so efficiently provided for the people to-day. It is not the volume of sound poured into the speaking tube of the phone which furnishes the most intelligible report of what you wish to say to the party at the other end. It is the distinctness with which you pronounce your words, even to the syllables, which is the most readily heard and understood by the listener at the other end of the line. There is not the least occasion for the talker to raise his voice higher than an ordinary conversational tone, when talking over either a local or a long distance line. Talk to your listener just as though he were seated beside you whether he is one, twenty, a hundred, five hundred or thousands of miles away from you. If you pour into the phone an unnecessary volume of sound the reverberation and confusion on the line will be such that your listener at the other end is unable to distinguish a word you say. Bellefonte people can talk to their friends in Philadelphia, New York or Chicago with the same ease and comfort as though they were standing alongside of them, providing they use the proper method.

This may appear a small matter to some NEWS readers, but there are others, who, if they follow the suggestions here made, will be greatly benefited as well as favoring those with whom they try to converse "over the phone," whether it be a short or long distance.

Vice President Hobart, who is in a critical condition, was brought to the situation in which he now is by a failure on his part to properly care for his health. He was noted for his attendance at banquets and receptions in the national capital, and his close attention to the functions of society proved to be too much for his physical strength. He is not the only one who has had health ruined by attendance at society functions. Miss Helen Long, a daughter of the secretary of the navy, is said to be a hopeless invalid from the same causes that have brought Mr. Hobart to his present condition. Admiral Dewey, who would be made a lion of in society if he would permit himself to be, is showing good sense in refusing to become a frequenter of banquets and receptions.

Hon. John Sherman has not forgotten how to do a little political bush-whacking, if he is in private life.

CORRESPONDENCE

CENTRE HALL NEWS.

D. D. Grand Master, W. I. Fleming accompanied by J. S. M'Carger paid an official visit to the Masonic Lodge at this place last Monday.

D. W. Smith representing the Fidelity Insurance Co. spent a few days talking insurance to some of our citizens the beginning of this week.

H. C. Robison, hardware merchant at Spring Mills, and W. S. Musser P. R. R. Agent at the same place were seen in our streets last Monday evening.

Monday a gentleman by the name of Brooks, made a short stop in our burg while enroute from Philadelphia to Clearfield where he resides. He traveled the whole distance over land, driving a large two horse carriage.

Mr. Kamp, representing the Milwaukee binder, spent a few days in our valley trying to secure an agent to represent his company in the sale of their implements.

Samuel M. Ruhle, inspector of Grand Army posts came to this place last Saturday to inspect our Grand Army post. Shortly after dinner he informed the members of the Post that he had received a message that his brother was at the point of death and that he must go home immediately. Accordingly he deputized the Adjutant of the post W. A. Krise to make the inspection for him. *The boys are wondering whether the brother has since died or whether he has recovered.*

Apples continue to come in to the evaporating plant by the wagon load.

Wm. Colyer is cutting the logs on the tract of timber he purchased from Hon. Wm. Alexander, and sawing them up into R. R. ties and staves.

Mrs. M. Culley, who has been ill for some time past has recovered.

Mr. Reed, of Mifflin Co., was over lately visiting his aunt, Mrs. M Culley.

Centre Hall has a new dentist.

MILLHEIM MURMURINGS.

E. K. Hess, salesman for a Williamsport wholesale grocery firm, was in town one day last week.

John H. Dreese, of McClure, traveling salesman for horse collars, fly nets &c, interviewed our merchants.

W. B. Taylor of Elmira, hardware drummer registered at the National Hotel.

David Emig, of Sugar valley an agreeable young man, is visiting at merchant Condo's for a few weeks, and while here is assisting in his store.

Theodore Hosterman, was out hunting a few hours, last Friday, and shot six pheasants and a fine deer.

J. E. Hess, liquor agent, of Pittsburg called on landlord Reish this week.

James Potter, the hardware man of Bellefonte, was in town on business.

E. S. Detwiler, clothing salesman interviewed the trade here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Foust of Milton, visited Saturday, Sunday and Monday at the home of W. A. Tobias and other relatives.

Chicken thieves are on the rampage again. One night last week, fifteen chickens were stolen from Noah Stover on Penn street, and quite a number from Michael Ulrich on Main street. Load up your shot guns and give these night prowlers a warm reception.

J. M. Grumbine, of Lebanon, a very congenial gentleman, selling harness makers supplies, was in town a few days.

On Monday morning, about fifteen persons left town for a week or ten days hunting deer. Among the number were F. P. Musser, Milford Stover, C. H. Morris, Harry Fisher, John and Elmer Hoover, Will Hoffman and others. They wil encamp at Price's near Milroy.

One night last week, thieves broke into the barn of Dr. F. F. Wetzel on North street, and carried off a lot of grain and chop. These fellows will go into the well once too often.

E. U. Crawford, of Centre Hall, visited our burg on Monday.

F. M. Dunkle of Lewisburg, called on our merchants last Monday.

Millheim B. & Loan Association met in regular monthly meeting in there rooms on Main street last Monday evening. Important business for the welfare of the Association was attended to.

Mrs. John Hoover, of Penn Township, who, about three weeks ago, was taken to the insane asylum at Danville died at that institution on last Monday. The remains were brought to Penn township for interment.

"The snow the beautiful snow." Fell on Tuesday morning, reminding us that winter is coming. "Cold winter comes with its cold chilling blast, and the icicles hang at your door, when your bowl smokes with something reviving and hot, can you grumble to think of the poor?"

SPRING MILLS HAPPENINGS.

One of our old town boys, George Krise, now living in Chicago, was shaking hands with old friends lately.

Mrs. Crawford sold her household goods at public sale on Friday last. The sale was well attended and everything brought a good price.

Fred Chance showed his smiling countenance in town last week.

Mr. J. P. Warden, the Evangelist, of Harrisburg, will hold a series of meetings in this town from December 5, to December 15. He will be assisted by all the churches in his labor.

Robt. Meese, Medel Slifer and Capt. Hassenplug were home for election.

Jimmy Kane, of Altoona, Pa., is visiting friends and relatives in this locality. He is accompanied by Master Kane.

Our candidates from this burg were ably supported on election day, Mr. Allison becoming the minority auditor, and Dr. Leitzell being given a very large complimentary vote, running ahead of the Republican vote about 300. In our own township he gained over seventy complimentary votes and he appears to appreciate it more than if he had been elected without gaining at home.

Wm. Stover and Thomas Sankey accompanied by Mrs. and Miss Crawford, started for Illinois Wednesday.

D. H. Ruble added a new horse to his livery.

One of our young men got so warm over election or something else that he took a swim in the dam Wednesday night, to cool his heated brow. Unfortunately he lost his hat during his midnight plunge, and it now adorns a post down along the creek.

LINDEN HALL ITEMS.

Carpenter Stover, of this place, and Geo. Kaup, of Boalsburg, were to Spring Mills on Monday of last week, to purchase some lumber for a porch. Mr. Ka putting up quite a house, but Linden Hall is furnishing the mechanics.

Miss Bessie Searson spent Tuesday of last week in Bellefonte.

Miss Lizzie Cole, of Bellefonte; spent a few days with her parents at this place, recently.

Wesley Tressler and family visited at Millheim last week.

A. E. Meyer and wife drove to Bellefonte last Wednesday.

Squire Sellers is confined to the house with heart trouble. Dr. Kidder is attending him.

Mrs. Wash. Campbell is on the sick list.

Miss Clara Campbell took suddenly ill with convulsions one day last week. She is under the care of Dr. Kidder.

Elmer Houtz is under the doctor's care, but is improving.

Prof. P. H. Meyer, of Boalsburg, organized a singing class of about forty scholars, in the old church at this place, last Thursday evening.

A party of hunters, made up of men from Linden Hall, Oak Hall, Shingletown and Pine Grove, are camping on the Seven Mountains. At this writing three deer and one wild turkey have been shot. Bruce Loneberger, one of our Linden Hall boys, had the honor of shooting one deer. They have killed two five-prong bucks. The news of their success is stirring the blood of many of our old hunters, who have not gone out this fall.

Lloyd Worrel, who was working in the mountains for the Linden Hall Lumber Co., had his leg caught by a rolling log, and was disabled for some time.

The ex-Senator says he expects to go to war soon, but does not want his mother to find it out. We presume he is a pretty good marksman by this time as he has been practicing at home. At least he said he had eleven shots already, and everyone is anxiously awaiting the twelfth.

The Beaver, Hoy and Blanchard summer and winter resort is looming up on top of Nittany mountain. and can be plainly seen from this vicinity.

L. W. Kimport will make sale of his live stock and farming implements on Tuesday, the 21st inst.

Daniel Colyer and Frank McClintic went into the mountains on Wednesday of this week, to work on the tram road.

On Saturday, the 11th inst., being the 83rd anniversary of the birth of Mrs. Hester Long, some of her many friends and neighbors, gathered at her home and gave her a pleasant surprise in the form of a donation of many of the necessaries of life. Mrs. Long is now in the eve of her life and deserves such recognition from those to whom she has often proved herself a kind and helpful neighbor.

John Vehdorfer, of Pine Glenn, visited his brother-in-law, Clarence Sheffler, over Sunday,

Earl Gingerich has gone to Bellefonte to attend school

REBERSBURG ITEMS.

Well, it seems winter has set in at last. On Monday the thermometer registered twelve degrees above zero, in the morning.

It appears that some of our people are too lazy to work, or too independent; rather than work they will steal. One of these parties entered Chas. Smull's corn crib on Sunday night and carried away about ten bushels of corn. They evidently thought the better the day the better the deed. Now, beware; these parties are being watched and will be exposed if again heard from in such a manner.

H. G. Miller has opened his branch store at Kreamersville, under the supervision of his son-in-law, Lloyd Walker.

Our enterprising and accommodating butcher, C. E. Long, is doing a business such as our town has never known before.

J. B. Kreamer's mansion is completed, and he will occupy it forthwith.

W. J. Carlin can now boast of the finest porch in town. His house presents a fine appearance since painted by Leitzell & Kuhns, who certainly understood their business.

Rev. Salom, the Lutheran minister, has handed in his resignation, to take effect on the 19th inst. Farewell sermon on Sunday. The Reverend has secured a charge in the southeastern part of the State.

Our supervisor, James Miller, has certainly accredited himself this summer in the art of road making. The road from here to Kreamersville can be traveled with much more ease and satisfaction than formerly. Such a man should be re-elected.

The Commercial telephone line is now being pushed through to our town. The poles have been erected to within a mile of town and will be to town by the end of the week. About a dozen 'phones are subscribed for in town and vicinity.

Gertrude Breon is slowly getting better.

A. N. Corman sold his valuable horse one day last week.

A UNIQUE RECORD.

There is nothing like it in our Broad Republic.

There is only one medicinal preparation on the market which gives local testimony as positive proof of the representations made for it, and only one interviews its endorsers two or three years after their public statements have appeared in the newspaper, and finds that during all that time the medicine held its ground; that its indorsers in place of weakening touching the original statement, strengthen it by reiterations—that preparation is Doan's Kidney Pills. Read this. It is only one of a score in Bellefonte.

Mr. George Gross of water street, says:- "Some years ago I used Doan's Kidney Pills for backache. I procured them from the Bush Block drug store. Accompanying the pain in my back was an annoyance from the kidney secretions. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me after I had been troubled for years. I thought I was never going to have backache again, but recently was fishing and got soaked through and this ended in effecting my back. I again resorted to my old cure, Doan's Kidney Pills, and they did me good immediately, although in the meantime I had taken other remedies but without obtaining relief. I can as conscientiously recommend Doan's Kidney Pills now as I did formerly for backache or kidney trouble."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name Doan's and take no substitute.

PROPOSED WORLD'S TRUST.

Failed Because Germans Wanted Too Big a Share.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Before the industrial commission yesterday Mr. John W. Gates, managing Director of the American Steel Wire company, gave an account of his effort to effect a consolidation of all the wire producing countries. He had visited Great Britain, France, Germany, Belgium other countries for this purpose. Germany he found to be the principal competitor. The German manufacturers first proposed that in case of an international consolidation the United States should be content with 25 per cent of the product. This he had declined, and they had afterwards increased the allowance to 55 per cent. He had run away from Berlin to avoid accepting the proposition.

Mr. Gates had himself represented the possibility of increasing prices to the extent of about $10 per ton in case of the proposed amalgamation, but found that the Germans had in view an increase of about $20 per ton. In this connection Mr. Gates commended in high terms the German method of encouraging the producing and exporting interests, saying that if the government of the United States would adopt the plan there pursued they soon would be doing 90 per cent of the iron and steel business of the world. He advocated subsidies to steamship lines and to national corporations of $5,000,000 capitalization and over. He would have the corporations pay liberally for such charters in the beginning, and then have them pay large sums annually for the continuance of the franchise, increasing the amount as the capitalization increased until the annual fee should be no less than $1,000,000 for a company capitalized at $100,000,000.

He said that his consolidation had been effected last January. A number of plants that could not be operated had been shut down. The company employs 36,000 men and wages had been increased on an average of 40 per cent.

THE SIAM'S TERRIBLE TRIP.

The Typhoon Which Killed Three Hundred and Fifty Horses.

San Francisco, Nov. 15.—Additional particulars of the terrible trip of the transport Siam from this port to Manila have been received here. The Siam left here on Aug. 19 with 400 horses for the army in the Philippines. All went well between here and Honolulu, but after leaving that port the vessel ran into a typhoon on Sept. 17, losing three horses. Good weather followed until Oct. 1. when a terrific typhoon was encountered near Guam Island, four days from Manila. At the first roll of the vessel the horses stampeded. Wave after wave crashed over the decks of the steamer, throwing the animals about, breaking their legs and otherwise maiming them. The scene was frightful, and it was impossible for the men on the ship to do anything with the terrified horses. The vessel was uncontrollable and it was next to impossible for any one to stand on deck, it was so slippery with blood and debris. There were 350 horses killed, and their bodies remained on deck for four days before they could be disposed of. Thousands of sharks followed the vessel, being attracted by the stench and the possibilities of a feast. The transport was blown a thousand miles out of her course.

—The Editor of the Karthaus Times had a conversation at Pittsburg a few days ago with a well-known railroad contractor who wanted an extra force of men on his West Virginia R. R. contract so as to get through and be ready to bid for a section of the railroad to be built from Clearfield to Williamsport, which he expected would be let out during the next few months.

IMPORTANT.—Our Holiday Gift Business will be larger this year than ever before. We shall do it better—start it earlier. Will have many important openings during November. Deliveries will be timed to exactly suit the purchaser.

Our Stock

—OF—

Overcoats, Reefers, Storm Coats and Heavy Blizzard Garments,

for Men. Boys and Children is very complete.

We never have shown such an assortment of Fancy Stiff Bosom Shirts.

We are fully prepared for all emergencies in all Departments. Do not forget the Ladies' Department.

Montgomery & Co.

COURT PROCLAMATION—Whereas the Honorable J. C. Love, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 49th Judicial district, consisting of the county of Centre, having issued his precept bearing date of the 30th day of Oct., 1899, to me directed for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace in Bellefonte, for the County of Centre and to commence on the 4th Monday of November, being the 27th day of November 1899, and to continue two weeks. Notice is hereby given to the coroner, justice of the peace, aldermen and constables of said County of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 27th, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances to do those things which to their office appertains to be done, and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Centre county be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just,

Given under my hand, at Bellefonte, the 30th day of Oct., in the year of our Lord 1899, and the one hundred and twenty-third year of the independence of the United States. W. M. CRONISTER, Sheriff.

BELLEFONTE MARKETS.

Corrected weekly by Gerberich & Son. on following quotations are taken at 6 p m The Wednesday of each week.

	PER BUSHEL		PER TON
Wheat new	67c	Ground Plaster	$8
" old	69c		PER BUSHEL
Rye	40c	Buckwheat	40c
Corn, shelled	35c	Clover seed	
Corn, ears new	35c	Crimson Clover	
Oats, old	25c	seed	$4
Oats, new	25c		

Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co.

	PER POUND		PER BUSHEL
Lard	07c	Potatoes,	40c
Country Shoulders	06c	Onions	50c
Country sides	06c		PER DOZEN
Tallow	03c	Eggs	22c
Butter	22c		

ESTRAY NOTICE—Cow came to the residence of J W. Harshbarger on the 20th of October, 1899, a dark red cow with white spot on back and on jaw. Owners are requested to come and prove property and pay charges or she will be sold as the law directs. J. W. HARSHBARGER, Moshannon, Pa.

ALTAR TO GRAVE.

"What! In liquor on his wedding day!"

"So I found him, and quite stupid, too."

"Is it possible? Where has he been to get it?"

"Not out of his rooms, I believe. He must have brought it there."

"Zounds! How unfortunate! Has the fellow lost his reason?"

"Not irrecoverably, I hope; but seriously, now, what is to be done? Already it is past noon. The ceremony takes place at three."

"Done? Why, we must go over there at once and endeavor to arouse him. A knowledge of this would nearly kill Helene, I fear. She fairly worships Royal. But say, you'll go with me, Charley?"

"Certainly, Ned; I intended to return."

We walked rapidly, and in ten minutes reached the young man's lodgings.

Alas! It was even worse than I supposed. We had entered the room without the formality of knocking, as privileged guests. There all was disorder. There some of the chairs were overturned, a few of the mantel ornaments were broken and the furniture was in confusion generally. A strong odor of liquor filled the apartment. On the bed, his clothing soiled and dishevelled, Royal Benson lay, breathing heavily. On the floor stood a black bottle half emptied of its contents.

The spectacle was saddening.

What a condition for a bridegroom to be in two short hours before the solemn nuptials! What a revelation for the trusting bride if it became known to her. And how was she to be kept in ignorance of the dreadful facts?

These thoughts passed swiftly through my mind in the half minute that I took to survey the scene. Then I proceeded to action, pausing not to understand the cause. I approached the bed and bent over the prostrate figure.

"Royal! Royal Benson!" I shouted. "Rouse up. Remember your marriage at three o'clock. You haven't an instant of time to lose."

No answer came from the husky lips, only a maudlin groan.

I caught him by the shoulders and partly raised him from the bed, shaking him violently.

"Royal! Royal!" we both chorused in a loud tone. "Get up and prepare yourself for the great event of your life. Do not delay. Every moment is precious."

Still no answer.

"It is a drunken sleep; a senseless stupor. What in the world shall we do?" I said, anxiously.

"I'll tell you," Charley replied. "We must send for a doctor."

"No, no," I exclaimed quickly. "Would you publicly proclaim his disgrace? That will never do."

"Why not! Think of the wretchedness of Helene's lot if this continued?"

"I do. I think of all that. But notwithstanding, this affair must remain a secret among ourselves. We will have to revive him. Helene, poor innocent Helene, must not be disappointed on her wedding day."

I took out my watch and glanced at the time. Heavens! It was a quarter to two. In an hour the church would be filled with the friends of both. Something must be done, and that immediately.

With the perspiration rolling down my face—for I was suffering great mental distress—I lifted Royal off the bed, and, with Charley's assistance, walked him up and down the room. We made him use his limbs as much as possible, and had the satisfaction of seeing him restored to partial consciousness under the exercise.

In a little while he opened his eyes, and how terribly bleared they were. What a shocking sight he would present.

We continued the treatment until entire sensibility returned and then placed him in a chair. As if to conceal the shame and mortification he must have felt, he instantly bowed his head and covered his face with his hands.

"Royal Benson," said I, in a hard, solemn tone, fixing my gaze straight upon him, "what means this conduct? Have you forgotten Helene, your lovely bride, when you robbed yourself of the power of sense, or did you wish to put off the marriage by acting the brute? Explain if you can."

With a show of emotion that surprised me he threw back his head and returned the look I gave him. The glance was pitiable, so full of distress, so very sorrowful. I could not restrain a feeling of sympathy at that moment.

"Friends," he commenced, speaking with considerable hesitation, "all this must appear very strange to you—doubtless it does, but as God is my judge, I had no intention of disappointing my betrothed. *My* love for her is just as fervent and true as it was in that blessed hour when she promised to be mine. But something there is—I cannot tell. Oh, how can I go to the altar with —"

Here Royal broke down and wept convulsively.

"What is it?" I said, gently. "Tell me your trouble in strict confidence."

"No, not to a living being will I breathe it," he replied, recovering himself a little.

"Royal," I continued, trying to change the current of his thoughts, "do you know the lateness of the hour? Remember, Helene expects you and if you do not want to disappoint her be prompt. This affair need never be known—"

"Yes, I'll be prompt—prompt in going to my sacrifice! he exclaimed, excitedly, and, rising up, he began to dress.

It was now within a few minutes of three and the coach was at the door in waiting. But we rendered all possible assistance and soon Royal was quite ready.

When we had taken our seats in the carriage, for both of us were resolved to accompany him, Royal took my hand. His was cold and moist, and shook perceptibly in the clasp. He looked into my face and I observed the extreme pallor of his own. I also noticed the wild glance that darted from his eyes and their preternatural brilliancy.

"What can it mean?" I said, mentally. "Is Helene's betrothed on the verge of insanity?"

The thought alarmed me. I began to wonder if his strange manner might be considered as an incipient phase of that malady, when Royal spoke.

The voice was low, hollow, sepulchral and set me to shivering.

"Ned," said he, "I could—I do wish I had passed away peacefully weeks ago—sweetly, as they die who are filled with the joys of perfect peace. Kindly hands might then strew fragrant flowers over my bier, and loving hearts be not dismayed. But now, what? Oh! that I had never lived to see this hour. A great calamity, the magnitude of which surpasses even my comprehension, has set its seal upon me. My doom is fixed, I cannot escape it—no, there is no possible way—" and here the poor man bowed his head in reflection, but only for an instant, when he again raised his luminous eyes, and continued:

"Promise to stand between me and a defamatory world. If I am censured, and I must surely be, tell them I was not so cowardly as they thought. Tell them there is no reproof in the grave, to remember that. And Helene, sweet angel, comfort her for my sake—will you —promise?"

Already the carriage had drawn up at the church, leaving me no opportunity to ask a single question, demand an explanation, or find out what was meant by the language I had heard. I could only bow my head in token of compliance, when the driver, who had dismounted from the box, opened the door and we were greeted by the bridal party in the vestibule of the sacred edifice. Helene, in her snowy robes, and wreath of orange blossoms in her thick tresses of hair, formed the center of the group, a picture of ethereal loveliness.

In a maze of doubt and agony, and nearly speechless with horror, I took my appointed place in the procession up the main aisle.

The organ was pealing forth the sweet, entrancing strains of a wedding march, but I scarcely heard it, I was so tortured with the fear of I knew not what.

The vision of a suicide flashed before my eyes, and seemed to lead the way up to the very altar. I wondered if Helene felt the weight of gloom that pressed upon my heart, I wondered if she was happy in that supreme moment of her life.

The ceremony was short but impressively solemn.

When it was over I looked at the newly-made wife.

She was watching Royal intently, and her face wore a strange expression, in which alarm seemed to mingle. Had she, too, discovered something wrong? It must be so, I thought.

In half an hour the wedded pair were holding a reception in Helene's father's house. I made one of the company, for I was determined to keep an eye on the bridegroom. A sense of duty impelled me to observe his every movement.

While receiving the congratulations of his numerous friends Royal never once smiled. His countenance was grave even to sadness, and he seemed uncomfortably absent-minded, as if his thoughts were far away. Yet he bore the ordeal better than I expected he would, and as I looked upon the handsome couple whose destinies were united for good or for evil, I pictured to myself the brightness of the future that awaited them.

I might have pictured a different scene, in which a grim and ghastly object was blended.

With the intention of requesting a private interview I walked down the long room to where the couple had stood beneath a canopy of leaves and flowers. Helene was there, conversing with some ladies, but Royal was absent from his place.

"Where is he?" I inquired, excitedly.

Helene glanced toward the nearest door, silently intimating that he had left the parlor.

I was all anxiety then. I rushed out into the hall wildly, feeling a strange dread of impending evil. All at once a sensation of giddiness came over me and I thought I must swoon. I caught hold of the baluster rail to assist me in ascending the stairs. I meant to search through the upper rooms. I had not left three steps behind me when the muffled report of a pistol fell upon my ear.

I was not the only one who heard that dull sound. It seemed to reach the ears of all the guests, for they speedily rushed up the broad flight of stairs with me, to learn the cause —all but Helene, who stood pale and motionless in the parlor.

We looked in all the rooms on the second floor, the victim was not there, then up the last flight we hastened to the attic. The sight that met our gaze was overpowering. Royal Benson's vague hints were carried into effect. In one of the bed-rooms he lay on the floor a corpse, and near him a little pistol—almost a toy—that had done the deadly work. The blood was flowing freely from the gaping wound his own hand had made, and the soul of the suicide had fled to its Maker.

A physician was duly summoned, but of course his services were of no avail. The lifeless form we raised tenderly and placed it on the bed, carefully washing the blood stains from the face. Then, while all present wondered what had prompted the awful deed, we began to think of the unhappy bride. In our horror and solicitude for the dead we had nearly forgotten the living. So, leaving the darkened chamber and its ghastly occupant, we returned to the parlor.

But the sad tidings had preceded us. Helene had been hastily informed of the tragedy—too hastily, I feared, for she resembled a statue of stone more than a being of flesh. All that long night she raved wildly, and her tears and groans were heart-rending. It seemed as if she must lose her reason. Finally, at day-dawn, she grew calm. Exhaustion had lulled her to repose. Then I quietly left the dwelling, in the hope of obtaining a little rest myself.

The saddest of it all was the funeral. I thought it would kill Helene. A large concourse of mourners filled the house, for those two had many friends. And the most terrible grief I ever witnessed was when the face of him whom she had loved better than life was hidden forever from her sight.

When it was over I endeavored to keep my promise. I tried to save his memory from obloquy and shame, and among those who knew him best I have succeeded. The mystery may never be revealed in this world, but I have faith to believe that in the light of the Resurrection morn it will appear less a crime of the reason than an act impelled by the throes of insanity.

Helene, in the sombre garb of widowhood, has often told me that she only awaits a release from the bondage of the flesh, for happy she can never be again, and I am led reluctantly to credit the true meaning of her words.

For the sake of the sweet girl who loved so devotedly, I wish it might be otherwise.

—The Pennsylvania railroad is at present laying over 200 miles of new oak ties on the system. Only the very best timber is accepted and the company is paying about 35 cents for ties by the thousand. On the Western division over 150,000 new oak ties have been distributed and will be placed under the rails in the next three weeks. On the lines west of Pittsburg over 45,000 new ties have been distributed during the past five weeks

THE RISE IN PRICES

Is Still the Leading Feature of the Trade Situation.

New York, Nov. 11.—Bradstreet's review of trade says: Strength of prices, a natural outcome of past and present active demand, is still the leading feature of the trade situation, notwithstanding that unseasonably warm weather in some sections of the country tend to restrict retail distributive trade, and necessarily exercises some effect upon re-orders from and collections by jobbers. Less than ordinary interruption is indicated by election day observances. The strength of textiles, both raw and manufactured, has been further accentuated during the week, increases being noted in raw cotton, wool and hemp.

The strength of textiles, leather, oils and miscellaneous products was calculated to offset the weakness in irregularity in metals, not including iron and steel, however, cereals and other food products. Raw cotton advanced easily this week on an appearance of better buying by foreign consumers, induced by reports of frost damage, statistics of small movement and active domestic demand for the manufactured product.

A YOUNG GIRL'S ANGUISH.

Tries Suicide When Her Alleged Assailant Was Acquitted.

Cumberland, Md., Nov. 11.—After Judge Boyd yesterday morning announced that the court, after lengthy consultation, had found George H. McCormick, of Cumberland, not guilty of criminal assault on Rose Folk, his 15-year-old sister-in-law, of Frostburg, the latter rushed from the court house alone and running down Washington street toward Wills creek, exclaimed, between sobs: "I will kill myself; I have nothing to live for." Just before she reached the bridge her sister, Mrs. McCormick, and stepsister, Miss Estella Robinson, caught her, and with the assistance of a man who was rushing along kept her from jumping from the bridge. The girl vowed she would commit suicide. All three returned to the court house, all crying bitterly. The incident caused great excitement. The case has aroused great interest. McCormick is a tin worker, whose father runs a hotel in South Cumberland. He is yet to answer the charge of wife beating and attempted assault on Miss Robinson.

Sequel to an Army Scandal.

Atlanta, Nov. 11.—Word was received in Atlanta last night of the marriage in Washington on Saturday last of Lieutenant F. E. Bamford, Fifth infantry, U. S. A., and Mrs. Mae Kendall O'Brien. This is a sequel to the Romeyn court martial at Fort McPherson in 1897. Lieutenant Bamford at that time was engaged to marry Captain Romeyn's daughter, at the same time paying marked attention to Mrs. O'Brien. Captain Romeyn expressed himself freely in the matter, and Lieutenant O'Brien, hearing of it, accosted the captain on the parade. His superior responded by knocking him down, the court martial being held soon after. Lieutenant O'Brien died some time ago at Dry Tortugas.

Fraternal Insurance Officers Arrested

Peoria, Ills., Nov. 11.—Three officers of the Peoria lodge of the Order of Chosen Friends, H. C. Dimon, Mrs. Alice Norvell and Mrs. Martha Tamplin, were arrested yesterday charged with being officers of an illegal fraternal and beneficiary society, and as such with violating the Illinois statutes by doing an insurance business without authority. The penalty is a fine of not less than $50 or more than $1,000, or imprisonment in the county jail for not less than 30 days or more than two years.

Look Out For the Meteors.

Williams Bay, Wis., Nov. 11.—The astronomers of the Yerkes observatory are already on the lookout for meteors, although none of the Leonids is expected before tomorrow morning. Professor Barnard considers from 2 to 5 o'clock next Wednesday morning the most favorable time for making observations of the meteors.

BRITONS UNPREPARED.

An Immediate Advance on Ladysmith Is Impossible.

MORE BRITISH GUNS NEEDED.

It Looks Now as Though General Buller Will Be Unable to Commence the Real Work of the Campaign Before Christmas.

London, Nov. 11.—Complete silence has again fallen upon affairs in South Africa. The British public must perforce be content with the brief, stereotyped report which the censor allows to filter through from Cape Town. That this condition of things is no longer due to pressure of work or defective cables has been amply proven. The Eastern Telegraph company reckons that the real delay in transmission is about two days. It is evident, therefore, that the censorship is responsible for the other two days of delay which seems to befall all the dispatches.

Moreover, The Daily Telegraph announces that its "appropriated" dispatch from Ladysmith, dated Monday, which the war office published on Tuesday, was not delivered in Fleet street until yesterday morning. It is believed that the war office received further dispatches last evening, but nothing has been published.

At a banquet in the city of London yesterday the Duke of Cambridge, speaking of the war, said:

"We ought never to have allowed ourselves to be in the position in which the outbreak of war found us. I could cry over the valuable lives which might have been spared had we been better prepared."

It is said that General Buller never expected to commence the campaign before Christmas, and it now looks as though this will be the case. Certainly no artillery can reach Durban before Nov. 14, and without additional guns an advance from Estcourt would be impossible. No doubt, as Lord Salisbury said in a recent speech, England will "muddle through it," and yet another illustration of muddling has become apparent in the fact that gunnery instructors have only just arrived at Woolwich arsenal for instruction in siege train duties. Although hurried preparations are being made to prepare the siege trains, the fact that the men are at Devonport and the guns at Woolwich seems to show that the idea of the siege train was quite an after thought.

The statement from Ladysmith that the British guns do not reply to the Boer artillery because the concrete beds for the guns have not yet hardened is interpreted in some quarters to mean simply that the British are husbanding their ammunition, as the Boer fire is only a trick to get the British to waste shells.

Among the few items that have arrived from the cape today is one saying that the Boers are planting more guns in the hills surrounding Ladysmith. All the correspondents in the beleagured town are safe and anxious to reopen communication.

A gentleman who visited Nicholson's Nek after the engagement counted 25 in killed and 70 in wounded.

The latest advices from Kimberley, dated Nov. 2, say that all was well there then. An explosion had been heard, and the supposition was that the Boers had blown up the railway culvert south of Drenfield.

Cotton Bolls For Paris Exposition.

Meridian, Miss., Nov. 11.—O. C. King, of this city, commissioner from the state of Mississippi to the Paris exposition in 1900, has arranged with a party who has secured at the right season 500,000 selected full grown cotton bolls, which will be sold at the Paris exposition by original cotton field darkeys as souvenirs of the American cotton exhibit. These will be the first cotton bolls ever shipped abroad, and they will doubtless be eagerly sought after by people who have used quantities of American cotton, but who never have seen it in its natural form.

A Boy's Terrible Death.

Tekemah, Neb., Nov. 11.—Arthur Bryant, the 17-year-old son of E. W. Bryant, a prominent citizen of this place, was crushed to death by a train last night. The lad boarded the train on its arrival here and rode a short distance as the train pulled out. On attempting to alight he fell under the wheels and was crushed and mangled beyond recognition, the remains being scattered along the railroad track for six or seven miles. Mrs. Bryant, the mother of the unfortunate lad, is a cousin of Mrs. Grover Cleveland.

Indiana's Natural Gas Famine.

Kokomo, Ind., Nov. 11.—Natural gas is rapidly failing in the northern part of the Indiana field. The Dieterich syndicate has given notice that it will abandon its plants in the smaller towns. Five towns in this county are left to freeze, and nearly 2,000 families will eat cold victuals and shiver over fireless stoves. Coal cannot be had at any price, and there is no wood in the market. The syndicate controls the gas plants in over 20 cities and towns in various parts of the state.

Foul Play Feared.

Pittsburg, Nov. 11.—W. F. Kantz, general eastern freight and passenger agent of the Cotton Belt railroad, with headquarters in Pittsburg, suddenly and mysteriously disappeared from this city Sunday morning, Oct. 29, and since that time nothing has been seen or heard of him. Mr. Kantz had been summoned to the main offices of the company at St. Louis, but he never reached there. Foul play is feared.

Proposed Amnesty For Revolutionists

Lima, Peru, Nov. 11.—Now that the revolution has been suppressed, it is rumored that Senhor Eduardo Romana, the president of Peru, will ask congress to declare a general amnesty. Such a step would add to the increasing popularity of the president.

COPYRIGHTING A HOUSE.

From the St. Louis Republic.

A New York paper says the public have been legally warned not to build a house like that contemplated by William K. Vanderbilt. The plans from lowest foundation stone to topmost shingle, are copyrighted. The question arises if a residence can be copyright, why not a dress a new cut of a coat, a new color in shoes or an odd way of tieing one's cravats? Such an extension of the law of copyright would enable ladies to legally hinder their social rivals and, perhaps, their maids, from imitating gowns of particular fetching and novel design, which they have hired modistes to construct. The number and variety of ways in which Mr. Vanderbilt's copyright remedy could be extended might be amplified in a manner to defy the computation of an expert mathematician. Mr. Vanderbilt, however, has taken a more effective method than the copyright law to prevent his mansion from being duplicated. He has arranged to spend a half million dollars at least in its contruction.

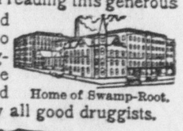
DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root** is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work, in private practice, among the helpless too poor to purchase relief and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty cent and dollar sizes are sold by all good druggists.



Home of Swamp-Root.

One luxurious Indian king in a far away age had in his palace a huge carbuncle, by whose light he used to read the sacred books. In Jewish legend the carbuncle is governed by the sign of the twins-the maid and the man of ancient astrologers, who did not use the term Gemini—and it has to its own service an angel whose name is Ambriel Not only has it an angel, but it is of heaven and in heaven, for when the Prophet Mahomet was led by the Angel Gabriel thoughout all the heavens the sixth paradise they visited was made of a clear carbuncle.

A Resident Physician.

That's what you could rightly call Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets—for after all how few are the family complaints that cannot be reached and treated directly through the stomach. These wonderful little physicians (18 of them in a box—10 cents)—heal all stomach disorders in old or young—incipient cases or chronic cases—they are pure and palatable.—15.

Sold by F. Potts Green.

A dip in the "briny" is nowhere considered sufficient for cleanliness, and among the Polynesians one can hardly insult a man more than to state that his skin shows marks of salt water. In fact, directly after bathing in the sea a bath in fresh water is considered a necessity to wash off the salt.

Skin Eruptions Cured for 35c—

Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Barber's Itch, all itching and burning skin diseases vanish when Dr. Agnew's Ointment is used. It relieves in a day and cures quickly. No case of Piles which an application will not comfort in a few minutes. Try it. 35 cents.—13. Sold by F. Potts Green.

It is proposed to erect a statue of Governor Oliver P. Morton in the State Capitol at Indianapolis, Ind., at a cost of $50,000. The committee has refused the models offered by several well known sculptors and has accepted the model offered by a woman.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and Substitutes are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Harmless and Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS
Bears the Signature of
Chas. H. Fletcher.

The Kind You Have Always Bought
In Use For Over 30 Years.
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

House Burned.

On Wednesday afternoon, about four o'clock a house occupied by Mr. Charles Nolen, and owned by Mr. Joseph Long of Flemington, located about two miles below Jacksonville, caught fire and burned to the ground. Part of the house-hold good were saved. Mrs. Nolen who was sick at the time was carried out on a bed through the flames thus saving her life.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

—Mill Hall is certainly a railroad town so far as tracks are concerned. The New York Central but recently completed a siding long enough to accommodate about 60 cars, the increased traffic demanding the extra room for cars, and for the same reason the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania is now extending their siding to a point about half of a mile west of the station.

Stop Coughing

Every cough makes your throat more raw and irritable. Every cough congests the lining membrane of your lungs. Cease tearing your throat and lungs in this way. Put the parts at rest and give them a chance to heal. You will need some help to do this, and you will find it in

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

From the first dose the quiet and rest begin: the tickling in the throat ceases; the spasm weakens; the cough disappears. Do not wait for pneumonia and consumption but cut short your cold without delay.

Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral Plaster should be over the lungs of every person troubled with a cough.

Write to the Doctor.

Unusual opportunities and long experience eminently qualify us for giving you medical advice. Write freely all the particulars in your case. Tell us what your experience has been with our Cherry Pectoral. You will receive a prompt reply, without cost.

Address, DR. J. C. AYER,
Lowell, Mass.

BIG STRUGGLE.

Between Railway Companies for Coal Lands.

A telegram from Altoona says: There has been developed a big struggle for the control of undeveloped coal lands in Western Pennsylvania between the Beech Creek and Reading systems on the one side and the Pennsylvania railroad on the other. Some time ago the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg railroad, which covers the whole northern coal fields, united its interests with the Beech Creek, and Vanderbilt road. The two roads then made a deal with the Reading, completing a rival line across the state and covering much territory heretofore controlled by the Pennsylvania. It is announced that within a year a through line will be controlled by these roads extending from Pittsburg to the seaboard, via Butler, Williamsport and Reading.

Big coal purchases by the rival lines gives color to the story of the struggle. In Indiana, the Beech Creek bought up 5,000 acres, and the Pennsylvania immediately purchased 30,000 for a tract embracing nearly five townships. McGaughey & Forsythe, possible representatives of the Beech Creek, then purchased 18,000 acres further down along the Conemaugh.

In Cambria county the J. L. Mitchell coal company bested the Cambria steel company, of Johnstown, in a deal to secure 12,000 acres, paying $200,000 for the tract. The steel company, to offset the Mitchell purchase, bought up 180,000 acres adjoining for the sum of $400,000.

The end of the fight is not yet.

The Curtin Monument.

During the past week special blanks were sent out to the various men appointed to consist of a committee to aid in the erection of the proposed Curtin Monument. The object is to get the names of all persons who want to see the monument erected on a petition to the next Grand Jury urging them to recommend the County Commissioners make an appropriation to aid in this project. By an act of assembly County Commissioners can make and appropriation for the erection of a soldiers monument at the county seat. This has been done in many of the counties of the state already. It would be a nice sum for a start, and then by the assistance of the Grand Army of the Republic quite an additional sum can be raised. After that move is made, there is no doubt but that by popular subscriptions a much larger amount can be raised.

The people should not hesitate to take part in a move for the erection of a soldier's monument here in Bellefonte, that for time to come will commemorate the brave deeds of the soldier boys who participated in the great struggle for the preservation of the country, in the time of its greatest peril. Such a monument should have been erected long ago. Our people have been indifferent in this matter and now that the matter is assuming definite shape it should be pushed to a completion. Let there be a well filled petition from every section of the county presented to the next Grand Jury, to convince them that the public favor the erection of this monument.

—On Thursday afternoon Nov. 9th, at the Reformed parsonage in Hubiersburg, at 4 o'clock, Mr. Willie R. Long and Miss Josie Hoy, daughter of Joseph Hoy, were united in Holy bonds of matrimony, by Rev. Runkle. A rousing reception was given them in the evening at the home of the bride.

ALLEGED REPEATERS.

Five Men Held For Fraudulent Voting in Philadelphia.

SAID TO BE FROM WASHINGTON.

It Was Testified To That the Men, Four or Whom Are Presumably Government Employes, Were Sent to Philadelphia by a Police Lieutenant.

Philadelphia, Nov. 11.—As the result of a newspaper investigation five men, all residents of Washington, D. C., arrested Tuesday night, were yesterday held in bail for court on the charge of repeating, impersonating election officers and making fraudulent returns. The defendants are John F. Sheehan, R. M. Dinkert, William Cook, Harry McCabe and George Kirkland. All but one are said to be in the government's employ.

It developed that Kirkland had been employed by the newspaper mentioned to enter the conspiracy. He was the principal witness, and bail in his case was fixed at $1,000, the others being required to furnish $1,800. The testimony involved several prominent Republican politicians in this city and a lieutenant of capital police at Washington.

The alleged fraud, it was sworn to, was accomplished in the Thirteenth division of the Seventh ward, and the election papers of this division were produced in evidence. The returns showed a vote of 337 for Colonel James E. Barnett, the Republican candidate for state treasurer, and 5 for William T. Creasy, the Democratic candidate.

Kirkland, who at the time of his arrest said his name was George Wright, described the trip from Washington to this city of the alleged repeaters on Monday night. He then related in detail all that happened from the time of their arrival until their arrest at the railroad station on election night. On Tuesday morning, he said, he and William H. Cook went to the house of Deputy Coroner Samuel Salter, accompanied by Lieutenant Joseph G. Rodgers, of the capital police. Lieutenant Rodgers, Kirkland declared, was in charge of the party when it left Washington. At Salter's house they met the Deputy Coroner and John Silverman, one of the election inspectors. Continuing, the witness said:

"Salter handed us a number of ballots, folded and sealed, and told us they were to go in the box as soon as we got to the polling place. On our arrival there Silverman and Cook unlocked the boxes and we put the ballots in. There were about 200 I judge."

Kirkland then said that he acted as minority inspector under the name of Clarence McCabe, the regular inspector, and that Cook impersonated E. E. Rankin, the judge of the election. During the afternoon, witness asserted, 15 additional votes were marked by Cook and Silverman and placed in the box. The last 24 voters were handed specimen ballots, which, witness thought, were destroyed after the polls. He said 124 votes were actually cast and that the number returned was "330 of thereabouts."

Kirkland said he acted in the matter at the instigation of R. M. Johnson, a newspaper reporter. He was paid $15 for his work at the polls by Lieutenant Rodgers, he said.

William Hamilton, the judge of election, testified that he was unable to officiate owing to illness and to the fact that in order to do so he would have to resign his position as laborer in the postoffice. The clerk of the hotel at which the Washington men stopped Monday night said the bill was paid by a prominent local Republican politician.

R. M. Johnson, a newspaper reporter, testified that he was in Washington last Sunday. He saw Kirkland there on that day and also on the train en route to this city the following day.

Counsel for the prosecution announced that in view of the evidence he would ask for warrants for several others who had been implicated, and that he would demand the extradition of Lieutenant Rodgers.

Venezuelan Rebel Leader Defiant.

Puerto Cabello, Venezuela, Nov. 11.—General Paredes absolutely refuses to any proposal of surrender. A conference was held yesterday afternoon between the British, German, Dutch and American captains here, and as a result W. W. Russell, secretary of the United States legation, was sent to discuss the matter with General Paredes and to try to effect an arrangement. He proved to be defiant and intimated to Mr. Russell that he was ready to fight any force General Castro would send against him.

The Jefferson Davis Monument.

Richmond, Nov. 11.—Yesterday Hon. J. Taylor Ellyson, president of the Jefferson Davis Monument association, appeared before the convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy and presented the resolution adopted by the United Confederate Veterans asking the United Daughters to assume the responsibility or raising a monument to the memory of President Davis. The Daughters accepted the charge by an overwhelming majority. The corner stone of the proposed monument was laid in Monroe Park, in this city, in 1896, and it is designed that it shall be a memorial not only of Mr. Davis, but of the "lost cause." The fund now amounts to $20,000.

Shayne's Assailant Acquitted.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—After a trial lasting three weeks Harry Hammond, a tailor, was last night acquitted of the charge of attempting to murder John T. Shayne, a prominent merchant of this city. Last spring Hammond entered the cafe of the Auditorium Annex, where Shayne was at lunch with Mrs. Hammond, the divorced wife of the tailor, and fired several shots at him, one of the bullets inflicting a wound which for a few days was thought might cause Shayne's death.

Ambassador Pauncefote Grateful.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Lord Pauncefote, the British ambassador, has been very much touched by the many kind notices which have appeared in the United States press on the subject of his elevation to the peerage. He wishes to take the earliest opportunity after his return to the United States to express his grateful appreciation of the manner in which the American public generally have received the news of the honor conferred upon him.

Admiral Schley's Masonic Degree.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Schley last night received the orders which made him a Knight Templar and a Knight of Malta. The degrees were conferred upon Admiral Schley by the officers of Columbia Commandery No. 2, in the presence of a large and distinguished assemblage of Knights Templar.

Pool Sellers' Legal Victory.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 11.—Judge Feagin, of the interior criminal court, yesterday pronounced the act of the general assembly of 1896, which forbids the sale of pools at horse races, to be unconstitutional. The pool sellers, who had been arrested on the charge of violating the law, were released.

Convicted Soldiers May Be Saved.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The four soldiers who were sentenced to death at Manila now stand an excellent chance to save their lives. Irregularities have been discovered in the proceedings of the court martial which may bar the death sentence entirely.

Hobart's Family Have Hopes.

Paterson, N. J., Nov. 11.—There was another change for the better in Vice President Hobart's condition yesterday. He was able to sit up in a chair in his room and picked up a newspaper and examined it, eventually turning to Mrs. Hobart and asking her to read it for him. The patient was evidently stronger and took more nourishment than at any time since his bad attack of nearly two weeks ago. Despite the statement of his attending physicians, the family still have hopes of his ultimate recovery.

Girls' Curiosity Gets Them in Trouble

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 11.—Hattie Fritz and Anna Eslich, aged 17 and 15 years, respectively, were arrested at their homes in Luzerne borough yesterday, charged with tampering with the United States mails. The prosecutrix is Miss Alice Aregood. She alleges that the two defendants got hold of a letter addressed to her and opened it by the steaming process. The girls were held in $500 bail each for trial in the United States court.

STRIKE LEADERS ARRESTED.

Charged With Inciting Cramps' Shipyard Workers to Riot.

Philadelphia, Nov. 11.—Three of the striking employes of Cramps' shipyard and Business Agent John J. Keegan, of the International Association of Machinists, and Frederick Conselman, treasurer of the machinists' organization, were yesterday arrested and held in $2,000 bail each, charged with inciting to riot. The strikers under arrest are Hugh Boyd, Thomas Wilson and Joseph Melon.

The direct cause of the arrests was the refusal of the men to move away from the vicinity of the shipyard when ordered to do so by the police.

The strikers claim this move was made to affect the impending arrest of a Cramp superintendent, for whom a warrant was issued last Tuesday.

Later in the day the yard superintendent, Harry Mull, for whom a warrent was sworn out several days ago by Hugh Boyd, one of the strikers arrested yesterday, surrendered himself and was held in $500 bail for court. Mr. Mull was charged with assaulting Boyd.

Ruled Off For Life.

Cincinnati, Nov. 11.—After a thorough investigation into the fight between "Curley" Brown and Dan Murray Thursday afternoon at the Newport track, the judges yesterday ruled off the turf for life the following persons: H. D. Brown, George Keating, Trainer Ted Wilker and Charles Keating. Wilker was implicated through handing Brown a pair of brass knuckles during the affray. Brown did not use the weapon given him by Wilker, but struck Murray several times across the head with a chair. The Keating boys prevented Murray escaping. Murray is still in a precarious condition, but will recover.

Bank Failed, Cashier Missing.

Portland, Me., Nov. 11.—Edward P. Deering, cashier and bookkeeper for Woodbury & Moulton, the banking house which recently assigned with liabilities of more than $500,000, has been missing since last Sunday. The assignees of the failed concern have been hard at work preparing a statement, but as yet no systematic examination of the books has been made. It is understood that Deering left home without notifying his wife of his intention.

Accused Son Released.

New York, Nov. 11.—Philip Ernst, 78 years of age, died in Bellevue hospital last night without regaining consciousness. His wife died Thursday. Both were found unconscious, the result of gas escaping. August Ernst, a son, who is said to have quarreled with his father, and who was placed under arrest suspected of knowing something about the affair, was last night released by the coroner.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

At a Bethlehem (Pa.) blast furnace nine men were overcome by gas. Frederick Lintner, aged 50, died.

Ex-Governor Joseph W. Fifer, of Illinois, has been appointed to the interstate commerce commission.

A counterfeiting outfit, with considerable bogus money and a quantity of safe blowing tools, were unearthed in a Chicago flat.

Many burglaries are taking place in the City of Mexico. The police say that professional American burglars are doing the work.

Minnie Nagle, who is only 18 years of age, was been arrested charged with systematically swindling Philadelphia department stores.

PEOPLE TESTIFY.

Reference That is Surely Worth Looking Up.

A Bellefonte Man Who Tells His Friends What Has Done him Much Good.

We will tell you what will cure the worst kind of a case of backache caused from the kidneys. We will not only tell you, but will refer you to people in all walks of life in the city of Bellefonte who have used Kid-ne-oids with the best results. We ask you to read this statement from Mr. W. S. Lose South Allegheny street, Tailor says:—

I have taken Morrow's Kid-ne-oids for kidney trouble which I attributed to constant sitting. I had a constant dull pain in the small of my back which would frequently attended by sharp shooting pains from stooping or lifting extending through my back just over the kidneys. I was very nervous and could not sleep and would have spells of dizziness. The secretions became colored and irregular. Since taking Kid-ne-oids my troubles have been relieved. I gave them to my daughter who was troubled with nervousness and Kid-ne-oids strengthened her wonderfully I can recommend Kid-ne-oids with a free and open expression for they did the work for which they are intended.

Morrow's Kid-ne-oids are not pills but Yellow Tablets and sell at fifty cents a box at all drug stores and at F. Potts Green drug store.

Mailed on receipt of price. Manufactured by John Morrow & Co." Chemists, Springfield Ohio.

Negroes Wanted to Be Deported.

Macon, Ga., Nov. 10.—Congressman Bartlett and Senator Bacon received yesterday a petition signed by about 100 negroes asking them to use their best efforts to secure the passage of a law whereby the negroes might be deported to Africa. They say that conditions under which they live are not satisfactory. They see no prospects of a change, and say it would be better for the two races to separate.

Kentucky Factions Unsuppressed.

Middlesboro, Ky., Nov. 10.—For two hours yesterday there was intense excitement here, caused by a clash between the Ball and Turner factions. The balls are Democrats, but espoused the cause of Taylor for governor. Gus Pridmore, another follower, and C. D. Ball met and began shooting at each other. A long range street fight took place, in which 50 shots were exchanged. Further trouble is feared.

The Vice President Brighter.

Paterson, N. J., Nov. 10.—Vice President Hobart was a little brighter yesterday than he has been since the beginning of hostilities. He took some solid nourishment and was in good spirits. He secured much natural sleep. The president sent his usual telegram asking for Mr. Hobart's condition, and a number of other telegrams expressing sympathy and best wishes were received.

A New Implement of Warfare.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—Silas J. Coyne, a carpenter, has invented a new implement of warfare. The device consists of a series of kites, supporting a cable, upon which a "trolley" kite is made to travel. The trolley kite carries a bomb of high explosive power, which is automatically released. Mr. Coyne claims to be able to support a cable nearly seven miles in length.

Pauncefote in Washington.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Lord Pauncefote, the British ambassador, with his family and members of his staff, arrived here yesterday afternoon. The return of Lord Pauncefote is not expected to bring any special changes in pending international questions.

A Hundred Fell Through a Sidewalk.

Columbus Junction, Ia., Nov. 10.—By the giving way of a sidewalk yesterday 100 persons who were watching a parade in honor of the returned Iowa volunteers were precipitated into a cellar. No one was fatally injured, but all were badly bruised.

Illinois Miners' Sympathy Strike.

Springfield, Ills., Nov. 10.—The miners at the mine of Joseph Taylor, near Belleville, struck yesterday because Mr. Taylor had been shipping coal to the districts in Arkansas and Kansas, where the union miners are striking.

Chicago Regiment to Help Boers.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—Charles Schneider, of this city, is organizing a regiment to send to South Africa to help the Boers. Most of the members of the regiment, he says, will be veterans of the Franco-Prussian war.

ILLITERACY IN CUBA.

General Ludlow Discusses Conditions Under the Spanish Rule.

New York, Nov. 10.—General William Ludlow, military governor of Havana, reached his home in Flushing yesterday. To a reporter General Ludlow talked at length upon the condition of affairs in Cuba. He considered the greatest drawback to the improvement of the people their great illiteracy. Among other things he said:

"The condition of the people is something awful in that respect. Eighty per cent of them are illiterate. The Spanish for 300 years had an elaborate system of schools and academies. The theory of these was splendid, and had they done the work they were supposed to do things would have been different. Very little progress has been made by us yet, for we have been too busy with more important matters to give much attention to education. Still, we have made a beginning, and in Havana there is now something of an approach to schools. What we need most is a system of industrial schools.

"The condition of Cuba today is bad, but it is better than when we took hold. What Cuba needs now is capital, and the world's money will not be invested in Cuba until the world is certain that it will be protected by the United States. What is feared is a shotgun republic."

GIVE THANKS.

Governor Stone Issues His Thanksgiving Proclamation.

Governor Stone has issued the following proclamation calling for the observance of Thanksgiving Day:

In the name and by authority of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.—Executive Department.

PROCLAMATION.

Following the example of the President of the United States, who, in obedience to a national custom, has set apart a day of praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God for the many and substantial blessings of the preceding year, I, William A. Stone, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby name Thursday November 30th, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer.

So far as practicable, let us on this day put aside our usual cares and labors and join with each other in showing our appreciation of the bountiful blessings that have been showered upon us.

A condition of prosperity without precedent prevails throughout our Commonwealth and the nation. Our crops have been bountiful and labor has employment. No epidemic or fatal disease has visited our State, but general good health has prevailed among all the people.

A more tolerant spirit exists among all religious denominations. The future is brighter and more attractive to the ambitious youth of both sexes.

Discoveries have been made in science which will be of great benefit to our people and our State has advanced in wealth, in education and general improvement.

A deeper comprehension and appreciation of nationality exists at home and aboard. Confidence has been strengthened in our capacity to cope with other nations not alone in national warfare, but in commerce and in trade.

Therefore, I advise that on this day religious exercises be conducted in all churches and that devout prayers be offered to Almighty God for a continuance of his guidance and care. Let us especially remember the sick, and the needy and the poor and endeavor, in so far as is in our power, to see that no one within the limits of our Commonwealth shall be in want.

Given under my hand and the great seal of the State at the city of Harrisburg, this 3d day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and of the Commonwealth, the one hundred and twenty-fourth.

By the Governor:
William A. Stone.
W. W. Griest.
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Proved Priceless.

Ruby coats and cinnamon flavor. Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are household favorites. Impurities leave the system. The nerves are toned. The blood is purified. The complexion is bright and ruddy. Headaches vanish and perfect health follows their use. 40 doses 10 cents.—14

Sold by F. Potts Green.

—If good wishes amount to anything, Admiral Dewey's new home ought to be one of the happiest places in the United States. He has the congratulations of millions of his countrymen on his approaching marriage.

ASK YOUR DOCTOR!

Ask your physician this question, "What is the one great remedy for consumption?" He will answer, "Cod-liver oil." Nine out of ten will answer the same way.

Yet when persons have consumption they loathe all fatty foods, yet fat is necessary for their recovery and they cannot take plain cod-liver oil. The plain oil disturbs the stomach and takes away the appetite. The disagreeable fishy odor and taste make it almost unendurable. What is to be done?

This question was answered when we first made

SCOTT'S EMULSION

of Cod-Liver Oil with Hypophosphites. Although that was nearly twenty-five years ago, yet it stands alone today the one great remedy for all affections of the throat and lungs.

The bad taste and odor have been taken away, the oil itself has been partly digested, and the most sensitive stomach objects to it rarely. Not one in ten can take and digest the plain oil. Nine out of ten can take SCOTT'S EMULSION and digest it. That's why it cures so many cases of early consumption. Even in advanced cases it brings comfort and greatly prolongs life.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

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TO CORRESPONDENTS.—No communication published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.
Correspondents should write upon but one side of the paper and avoid the use of pale or fancy inks.

WILBUR F. HARRIS.

Local Department.

—Meteors are mobilizing.

—The wise Turkey is cultivating indigestion and a run down appearance.

—Theodore S. Christ, of State College, has been granted a pension of $8.00 per month.

—Meteor parties are all the rage this week, and the number of persons who "see stars" when they stay out late is apt to be materially increased.

—At Karthaus last Thursday, fire destroyed the store, dwelling, barn and other buildings owned by W. B. Potter. A portion of the goods were saved.

—A household necessity. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Heals burns, cuts, wounds of any sort; cures sore throat, croup, catarrh, asthma; never fails.

—The ladies of the United Brethren church will hold a social Thursday evening at the residence of Isaac Dawson on Half Moon Hill. All are invited to attend.

—The little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take; perfectly harmless. Positive cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma.

—At Shamokin Sunday night while Rev. V. T. Rue was preaching in the Second M. E. church, burglars entered the parsonage and stole twenty-five dollars in money and over $100 worth of silverware.

—Itchiness of the skin, horrible plague. Most everybody afflicted in one way or another. Only one safe, never failing cure. Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 50 cents.

—Rev. R. L. Erhard of Claysville, Pa. will preach in the U. B. church Sunday morning and evening. Protracted meetings will open Sunday evening and continue every evening during the week.

—A very large meeting was held in the association rooms on Sunday afternoon. It was led by Prof. James Hughes, Jr., who used as his subject "Lost Opportunities." The meeting was very interesting and no doubt much good will be the result of it.

—"I owe my whole life to Burdock Blood Bitters. Scrofulous sores covered my body. I seemed beyond cure. B. B. B. has made me a perfectly well woman." Mrs. Chas. Hutton, Berville, Mich.

—On Sunday morning Mrs. W. C. Parsons, wife of the station agent at Unionville, and her little son were driving to church when their horse became frightened at the cars and ran away, throwing both occupants of the buggy out and injuring them seriously.

—Louis Bagger, & Co., Patent Attorneys. Washington, D. C., report that on last Tuesday Mr. Edward McGarvey, a resident of this place, obtained a valuable patent for improvements in weight and pressure recording apparatus, and to other residents of this State 58 patents were issued on the same date.

—George W. English, born in Martinsburg, Blair county, May 17, 1853, and educated in Milroy, Mifflin county, died at Woodcliff, New Jersey, on November 11. The deceased was recognized throughout the country as a life insurance authority. Mrs. Maurice W. Furey, of Bellefonte, is a sister of the deceased. The remains were interred in the Homewood cemetery, Pittsburg Tuesday.

—If times keep on improving the American Express Company will have to get a new wagon. Monday evening as Express Agent Roy McCalmont was driving toward the Central depot the front axle of the wagon broke, letting the wagon down into the road. Fortunately, the horse did not frighten, but stood perfectly still, no further damage being done. Roy says the heavy load on the wagon caused the accident.

—Harry L. Camp, for several years the traveling representative in the eastern states for Ruekheim Bros., of Chicago, extensive candy manufacturers, has received a notable advance in position, having been promoted to be superintendent of salesmen of the firm. Besides having the direction of the many traveling representatives of the house he will also have complete control of the "Cracker-jack" department, his brilliant success in marketing this toothsome specialty winning him this honor. Mr. Camp was formerly a Bellefonte boy, but of late has resided in Tyrone. In the future he will make his home in Chicago.

Lloyd House Changes Hands.

The Lloyd House, at Philipsburg which has been successfully conducted by J. W. Hooten for some time, has changed hands having been purchased by Christ North, of Houtzdale, into whose control it will pass as soon as necessary details have been arranged,

Mr. Hooten will return with his family to Munson, where he will give his exclusive attention to the developing of his coal interests. Mr. North, his successor, is an experienced hotel man, and will see that the reputation of the Lloyd house does not suffer.

A PRETTY HOME WEDDING.

Winifred Barron Meek Becomes the Bride of Thomas King Morris.

CELEBRATED WEDNESDAY EVENING

At the Home of the Bride's Father, Hon. P. Gray Meek, of this Place—The Elite of Society Were in Attendance. Many Beautiful Presents Received.

GRAND RECEPTION IN THE ARMORY

The handsome and spacious residence of Hon. P. Gray Meek and wife was the scene Wednesday evening of a beautiful nuptial event, the occasion being the marriage of their daughter Winifred Barron Meek to Thomas King Morris, son of A. G. Morris, of Tyrone.

The ceremony took place promptly at 8 o'clock in the large parlors of the Meek residence, about fifty of the intimate friends of the contracting parties being present. At the appointed time the Stopper & Fiske orchestra, of Williamsport, struck up a prelude to the wedding march and this was a signal for the ceremony to begin. Immediately the ushers, Charles E. Aull, of Pittsburg; Dr. Geo. L. Wickes, of New York, and George R. Meek and Hard P. Harris, of Bellefonte, formed an aisle at the entrance to the parlor and to the beautiful strains of the wedding march from Tannhauser, by Wagner, the bride and groom made their appearance, preceded by the bridesmaids, Miss Helen Bowman Mason, Shadyside, Pittsburg, and Miss Helen Fuller, East End, Pittsburg, and the best man, Robert Morris, of Bellefonte, a brother of the groom.

A very beautiful altar had been improvised for the occasion and there the procession halted before the Rev. George N. Glenn, of Gettysburg, a cousin of the bride, who soon pronounced the words that united for life these two happy young people, the beautiful ring ceremony of the Methodist Episcopal church being used.

The bride looked very beautiful attired in a gown of white corded satin, with full court train, real lace yoke and stole, with a veil of tulle held in place by a crescent of diamonds, the gift of the groom. She carried a bouquet of orchids and lillies of the valley. The veil worn by the bride was the same as worn by her intimate friend, Miss Eleanor Mitchell, in her marriage to John P. Lyon, in September, it having been agreed at that time that the veil should be handed down to the several bridesmaids in rotation as they were married, and Miss Meek was thus the first to wear the veil.

One of the bridesmaids, Miss Mason, was dressed in light blue taffeta, lace yoke and stole, while the other, Miss Fuller, was gowned in pink taffeta, with lace yoke and stole. Each carried a shower bouquet of English violets, the favorite flower of the bride.

The interior decorations at the house were very beautiful, white, pink and green chrysanthemums being the predominating flower.

Immediately after the ceremony at the house a grand reception was tendered the bridal party at the armory, which was handsomely adorned with American flags and national colors and decorations of pink and white flowers. In the receiving party were the bride and groom; Hon. and Mrs. P. Gray Meek and the bridesmaids, Misses Mason and Fuller. The music was furnished by the Stopper & Fiske orchestra, and choice refreshments were served by Caterer Joseph Ceader, of Bellefonte. The guests present numbered over four hundred including the elite of Bellefonte, many also being present from a distance.

The bride and groom departed on a special train about midnight for a wedding tour to California and other points on the Pacific coast. They will be gone six weeks and expect to be at home to their friends at the Morris residence in Tyrone after December 25th.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Hon. and Mrs. P. Gray Meek, and is a bright and accomplished young lady, with a host of friends not only in Bellefonte but other parts of the State. The groom is the second son of A. G. Morris, the extensive lime manufacturer of Tyrone, and is a bright young business man of a genial disposition who enjoys the friendship and esteem of a large circle of acquaintances.

The bride was the recipient of many choice and beautiful presents running into thousands of dollars in value.

Among the guests present from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Morris, Miss Lida Morris, Alexander Morris, Rev. and Mrs. Wisely and Miss Campbell, Tyrone; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, Miss Stewart, Mrs. Stephenson, Pittsburg; Robert Finney, Allegheny; William S. Furst, Forest and William T. Magee, Philadelphia; Col. and Mrs. Steele, Ashland, Thomas King, Baltimore, Md., Mr. Bosler, Carlisle; John Anderson, Tyrone; Dr. and Mrs. George W. Atherton, Miss Redifer, Miss Philibrick and Miss Stewart, State College; Thos. Brew, Mahoney City; Miss Helen Landis and Miss Mayde Smith, Hollidaysburg; Miss Sarah Good, Lock Haven; Mrs Sarah A. Meek, Washington, D. C., Frederick King, Princeton and others.

IN HONOR OF MARTIN LUTHER.

Interesting Children's Exercises at the Lutheran Church.

The Lutheran church was crowded Sunday evening to witness the Children's Home Mission service held in honor of the birthday of Martin Luther. The program rendered was as follows:

Music—"Marching On."
Scripture Lesson.
"Gloria Patria."
Prayer by Pastor, Rev. H. C. Holloway.
Music—"A Place in the Ranks for Me."

PART SECOND.

Reformation Hero.
"Home Mission Acrostics," by Miss Wertz' and Miss Ella Gates' classes.
Recitation—"Home Mission," by Nannie Dukeman.
Music—"Our Country for Christ."
Addresses on Home Missions, by Clement Dale and W. P. Kuhn.
Recitation—"As He Hath Prospered Thee," by Bertha Cross.
Music—"Our Mission To-day."
Prayer for Missions and Missionaries.
Collection.
Music—"America."
Lord's Prayer.
Benediction.

A 60-TON PIECE OF ORE.

One of the Largest Masses of Iron Ever Discovered in the Scotia Territory.

Recently, it is claimed, at one of the ore banks near Scotia, this county, owned and operated by the Bellefonte Furnace Co., the workmen came across and mined a lump of iron ore which by itself weighed sixty tons and exactly filled two cars. Of course this monster lump had to be broken into smaller portions before it could be handled, as there was not sufficient hoisting machinery convenient to handle so large a mass of iron rock.

Perhaps this was but a portion of a meteor which dropped in that section ages ago and was not discovered until now. At least such might be conjectured just now since the subject of meteors appears uppermost in the minds of so many people.

THE METEORIC SHOWER.

Fall of Myriads of the Dazzling Globes of Mutti-Colored Flame.

Some time this week we are promised by astronomers to be treated to one of the grandest natural spectacles of all history, the great fall of meteorite known as the Lenoids, It is claimed that it will be visible throughout the United States and from nearly the whole globe.

A great deal of interests is being manifested nearly everywhere in this promised display in the heavens, and in case of its appearance all will want to witness the grandest spectacle of a lifetime.

A Fine Show.

Lincoln J. Carter's play "Under the Dome" was the attraction at Garmans opera house Monday night. A fair sized audience was present to witness the performance and it is safe to say that everyone went away well pleased with their evenings entertainment. Among the scenic effects was a hurricane in full operation, blasting winds, vivid lightning, surging waves and tossing ships made up an exciting stage scene. In addition to the above effects a view of the illuminated capitol at Washington, three pretty Washington scenes and the ferry boat trip from Jersey City to New York are shown. The play was very well written and acted in an excellent manner by a strong dramatic company, in fact this attraction was one of the best so far this season.

An Eccentric Man's Funeral

The funeral Sunday afternoon of the late Furman Field, of Field's station Lycoming county, was unique in its simplicity. It was the eccentric old man's request that no services be held, and in further compliance with his wishes no hearse was used, but the coffin was placed in an open spring wagon, which was pulled across the country by his gray horse, so old as to be almost unequal to the task. By request of deceased the funeral procession made its way across the country by way of Quaker hill, ten or fifteen miles farther than the direct route.

The Youngest G. A. R. Man.

Renovo claims the credit of having the youngest G. A. R. member in the country. The member is James Mills, the well known engineer. Mr. Mills enlisted, the News says, September 27, 1861, when he was only 13 yeare old. He served three years and participated in many battles in South Carolina and Virginia. He is at present 51 years old and is a member of Bucktail Post. Mr. Mills' father also served in the civil war. He is over 80 years old, and is an inmate of the soldiers' home at Hampton Roads.

At the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday.

On Sunday afternoon the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. will be led by Samuel Roberts. He is an interesting talker and no doubt a large crowd will be out to hear him. A large orchestra and good, lively music is a part of the programme.

Will be Married.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Condo, of Millheim, have issued invitations announcing the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth May, to Charles W. Lester Freeby, of Wilkesbarre, on November 30th. Miss Condo is well known in this place where she has many friends having resided here for three years while her father was sheriff of Centre county.

PERSONAL PENCILINGS.

J. W. Gephart is transacting business in Pittsburg.

Lafayette Mulholland, of this place, left Wednesday for Curwensville to visit his daughter, Mrs. Harry Stover.

Mrs. Estella Lyon and her daughter, Mrs. Louis Grauer left Tuesday morning for a visit to friends in Philadelphia.

John C. Reed, of Pittsburg, treasurer of the Standard Scale & Supply Co., is a guest of Will Burnside, on Curtin street.

Samuel Donachy, manager of the match factory, left Saturday on a business trip to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

James Conroy left Wednesday for Philadelphia and other eastern cities on business connected with the Bellefonte Glass factory,

Staff Captain William L. Barker of the Salvation Army and whose home is in Buffalo N. Y., was a Bellefonte visitor Tuesday. It was his desire to hold meetings and establish a permanent branch of the army here but he was unable to secure a hall and so abandoned the idea.

Miss Madge Hoover of Philipsburg, is visiting friends in Bellefonte.

Ex-Judge Austin O. Furst and wife returned home from Altoona Friday afternoon.

Mr. James Kelley of this place, attended the funeral of his cousin, Mrs. Connell at Williamsport, last Thursday.

Mr. George C. Kidder, of Madisonburg, passed through Bellefonte Saturday on his way to Windber, Somerset county, where he is engaged with the Berwind-White Coal Co. He reports business throughout that section of the state in an especially flourishing condition.

W. H. Hall, of this place, was an Altoona visitor Saturday.

E. R. Chambers Esq., returned home Sunday from a business trip to Pittsburg.

Miss Emma Graham returned home last week from a visit to her brother in Windber, Pa.

Al. S. Garman, of Tyrone, spent Monday in Bellefonte as the guest of his father, Daniel Garman.

David F. Fortney Esq., and his estimable wife returned home Saturday evening from Philadelphia.

Sam Reynolds, of Lancaster, spent last week as a guest of his brother, Col. W. Fred Reynolds of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Keller and son Orvis spent last week taking in the sights at Philadelphia.

Jerome G. Harper left last week for a two weeks' vacation which he will spend in Pittsburg and Youngstown, Ohio.

John McMurray and his sister, Miss Nellie, of Altoona were the guests over Sunday of Miss Kathryn Lieb, of this place.

Miss Hench, who has been visiting at the residence of Mrs. Henry P. Harris for the past ten days, left for her Harrisburg home Friday morning.

Rev. R. Crittenden left Friday morning to visit his invalid sister in Cleveland, Ohio, as he said "likely for the last time before the forever."

General J. K. Robinson, of Mifflintown, one of Pennsylvania's Deputy Factory Inspectors, was in Bellefonte Wednesday on an official visit.

Mrs. Louise Bush departed Wednesday for Philadelphia to visit her sisters, Mrs. Moulton and Mrs. Stockton. She expects to be gone several weeks.

Rev. H. C. Salem, pastor of the Lutheran church at Rebersburg, resigned his pastorate Sunday. His resignation was rather sudden and unexpected.

Miss Ella Twitmire, daughter of W. T. Twitmire, of this place, returned home Thursday afternoon from a visit to friends in Philadelphia and Lancaster.

Misses Helen B. Mason and Helen M. Fuller of Pittsburg, and Dr. Geo. Wickes of New York city, are guests at the home of Hon. P. Gray Meek on West High street.

Harry McManaway, of Linden Hall, spent Sunday with friends in Bellefonte "Dutch" as his friends call him was a member of Co B during the late unpleasantness with Spain.

Mrs. Belle Hirlinger and Miss Verna Snook, of Philipsburg, spent the Sabbath in Bellefonte with the latter's mother, who has not been in good health for some time.

Capt. S. H. Bennison, of Jacksonville, transacted business in Bellefonte Monday. He looks the picture of health and says he isn't in the least discouraged, from a political standpoint, although the Republicans of Centre failed in securing all to which they were entitled at the last election.

Mr. John K. Thompson, of Philipsburg, the Republican candidate for County Treasurer, who with his colleagues on the ticket, was a victim of party perfidy on Nov. 7th, transacted business in Bellefonte Wednesday. John takes his defeat in a manner characteristic of his genial temper and good nature. He may measure swords with a Democratic antagonist some time again and with different results.

Y. M. C. A. Boys at Shiloh.

On Sunday evening the boys connected with the Y. M. C. A. will hold a Union Gospel meeting in the Lutheran church at Shiloh. Good talks, good music, and an orchestra will assure a good program. Every body is cordially invited to attend.

Delicious Hot Biscuit

are made with Royal Baking Powder, and are the most appetizing, healthful and nutritious of foods.

Hot biscuit made with impure and adulterated baking powder are neither appetizing nor wholesome.

It all depends upon the baking powder.

Take every care to have your biscuit made with Royal, which is a pure cream of tartar baking powder, if you would avoid indigestion.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued during the past week by Register G. W. Rumbarger:

Melville Kunes and Mabel Gardner, both of Blanchard.

William Thomas Heaton, and Bessie E. Huey, both of Fillmore, Pa.

Jacob L. Sunday, of Axeman, Pa., and Margaret M. Albright, of Benner twp.

Edward Dobson, and Amanda Howe, both of Philipsburg.

Henry F. Pownell, of Tyrone, and Sarah Price of Snow Shoe.

H. W. Rote, of Penn Cave, and Mary Kern of Madisonburg.

Thomas King Morris, of Tyrone, and Winifred Barron Meek of Bellefonte.

John Straka, and Rose Malick both of Gorton Heights, Pa.

John E. Mullin, and Viola Auman both of Coburn.

Howard M. Miles, of Port Matilda, and Metta I. Lucas of Fleming.

Howard A. Scholl, and Hannah M. Hall, both of Union twp.

Frank L. Cole, of Patton twp., and Maud Barr of Julian, Pa.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

A. M. Brown, et ux to Daniel Irwin Tract land in Ferguson twp. Consideration $4.125.

Alois Beezers ex'rs to W. Fred Reynolds. Tract in Benner twp. Consideration $6.000.

W. V. Emery et ux to Cecelia Hassinger. Tract of land Spring twp. Consideration $130.00.

Bellefonte Cemetery Association to R. J. Schadd & Brother. Lot in Bellefonte, Consideration $50.00.

M. D. Rockey, et al, ex'rs John Shaffer. Tract of land in Miles twp. Considera tion $4500.00.

J. Clark Mattern to Christana Delige. Land in Patton twp. Consideration $35.00

Clement Dale et ux to Annie B. Harris 350 acres of land in Patton twp. Consideration $60.00.

Ann B. Harris to Philip Colyer. Tract of land 350 acres in Patton twp. Consideration 640.00.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

If you get a clock on tick it is running in debt?

A steak is none the more costly for being rare.

An unbridled passion sometimes leads to the halter.

A lot of ciphers go for naught without a figurehead.

The mule is very apt to be behind with his business affairs.

The chimney is one of the few smokers that is easily sooted.

When the chickens come home to roost they are all roosters.

Nothing upsets a waiter so badly as a failure to get tipped.

The playwright should be held responsible for his own acts.

Anthrax Among Cattle.

The deadly anthrax has broken out among cattle in the vicinity of Wilmore. D. S. and Jordan Pringle, of near that place, has lost several valuable cattle from a disease that is undoubtedly anthrax. They were in good pasture, the second crop of clover, with plenty of good water Recently one of the cattle was taken sick and died within a half a day and since then several more have died. The limbs of the animals become rigid and bloody foam exudes from the mouth. The Messrs Pringle have burned the cattle that recently died and have written to Dr, Leonard Parsons, state veterinarian, Philadelphia, about the matter.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

The following letters remain in the Bellefonte P. O. uncalled for Nov. 13th, 1899.

Brown & Roy, L. Lahill, Frank C. Heydrick, Jas. Hayden, Samuel Marshall, A. Minnie Rahan.

When called for please say advertised.

W. W. MONTGOMERY, P. M.

WHY WOMEN ARE NERVOUS.

[*British Medical News*]

The frequent cases of nervous prostration or utter collapse of the nervous system under which women 'go all to pieces, as the saying is, have caused much thought and investigation on the part of physicians.

Certain inorganic substances are well known to cause various forms of nervous diseases which are readily traced to the poisons producing them. Further research leads to the belief that alum is a prevailing cause of so-called nervous prostration, for the symptoms it produces in the nervous, system after its absorption into the blood are very remarkable indeed. Experiments physiologically made upon animals by Orfila, Professors Hans Mayer, Paul Seim and others, show that alum frequently produces no visible symptoms for many days after its introduction into the body. Then follows loss of appetite and other alimentary distrubances, and finally a serious prostration of the whole nervous system. The most prominent physicians now believe that that 'nervous prostration" and many affections of the nerves from which both men and women suffer are caused by the continued absorption of alum into the system.

It is probable that many medical men are unaware of the extent to which salts of alumina may be introduced into the body, being under the impression that the use of alum in bread is prohibited. Alum, however, in still used surreptitiously to some extent to whiten bread, and very largely making cheap kinds of baking powder. In families where baking powder is generally used great care should be exercised to procure only those brands made from cream of tartar. The alum powders may general ly be distinguished by the lower price at which they are sold.